

AMATEUR PILOT FELL TO DEATH NORTH OF MENDOTA

GRASSHOPPERS DEVASTATING GREAT PLAINS

South Dakota, Nebraska, Iowa, Minnesota in Path of Hordes

Lincoln, Neb., July 27.—(UP)—On the plains and in the Capitals, in the air and on the ground, farmers and statesmen of the midwest rallied their forces today for a bitter fight against an invading horde of grasshoppers which was sweeping the section bare of vegetation.

While political leaders took their appeals for aid to the state and national capitals, farmers battled individually and in groups along many fronts and airplanes dived through the air, spraying poison over the fields where the hoppers were thickest.

Turkeys Return From War Without Feathers

Pierre, S. D., July 27.—(AP)—Reading that Montana farmers had successfully combatted grasshoppers by turning turkeys into infested fields, Mike Renondo herded his turkey flock into a hopper-ridden cornfield. In the evening, Renondo claims, the turkeys returned to their roosts minus feathers.

laid barren many counties in South Dakota and Nebraska, caused much damage along the borders of Minnesota and Iowa and still marching on.

It was estimated that millions of the hoppers had been killed, but farmers said that as fast as the insects were slaughtered new ones were hatched.

Burned In Piles

Bonfires dotted the plains of many counties as farmers raked the dead hoppers into piles and burned them.

Many strange stories were told of the hoppers eating wagon tongues, fence posts and clothing. Around Buffalo, Neb., farmers made a feeble effort to recoup some of their losses by scooping up the dead hoppers packing them and selling them to fishermen for bait and 20 cents a pound.

One of the most serious aspects of the situation was that livestock in scores of counties was being robbed of food. More than 3,000 head of cattle were shipped last week from South Dakota counties to northern Nebraska. In South Dakota, a long drought had almost ruined the big crops when the grasshoppers swarmed in to complete the destruction.

Within the last few days it has become a common sight in that state to see whole families moving northward in covered wagons, driving their half starved herds before them.

Heat Intensifies Attack On Plains

Kansas City, July 27.—(AP)—A blazing sun today intensified its withering attack along a front extending from the Rocky Mountain states and the Dakotas southeastward across the plains toward the Gulf.

Temperature readings above the century mark were recorded in widely separated places. At Salina, Kas., the temperature was 99 degrees at 10 A. M. today.

A. M. Hamrick, government forecaster, blamed an area of low pressure centered over Williston, N. D., for the heat wave.

Yesterday's blasts of heat resulted in temperatures of 100 at Bismark, N. D., 100 at Havre, Mont., Huron, S. D., 106 at Pierre, S. D., 104 at Rapid City, S. D., 100 at Sheridan, Wyo., 100 at Valentine, Neb., 102 at Salt Lake City and 102 and Grand Junction, Colo., 104.

Double Garage And Truck Flames' Fuel

A double garage and a truck were destroyed by fire last evening about 11:15 when the community fire truck was summoned to the Willis Singer service station west of the city on the Lincoln Highway. A bucket brigade was formed, and passed water from a storage tank to the booster tanks on the truck, thus saving other adjoining buildings. A large two-story residence was considerably scorched.

About 11 o'clock Sunday morning the fire department made a run to the 1000 block on West Third street where a grass fire was extinguished.

DEATH TOLL OF HOLOCAUST HAS REACHED 40

Other Victims Of Fire In Home For Aged Expected To Die

Pittsburgh, July 27.—(AP)—Little Sisters of the Poor, still stunned by the fire which destroyed their home and took the lives of two score of their aged charges; weary from long hours spent in searching for the missing and re-assembling those who survived, joined today in the inquiry into the disastrous blaze.

The death toll had reached 40 today, there still were more than 100 injured in hospitals. Ten unidentified dead lay in the morgue, and their identification, officials believed probably would erase the list of 10 reported missing.

Many of those in hospitals will die, physicians said as they battled to prevent pneumonia and to stave off death from shock.

Meanwhile, many of the aged and infirm who were removed to temporary quarters, were being taken to another home maintained by the Little Sisters.

The city, county and state centered an inquiry on the twisted charred four-story building, which late Friday night became an inferno from a cause still undetermined.

Mother Provincial Augustine of Baltimore, Md., Mother Provincial of the order, said a new fire-proof home would be built on the site of the destroyed home.

Romance Of Boy, 7, And Girl, 10, Ends

Rock Island, Ill., July 27.—(AP)—The romance of Stechani Skidzke, 7, and his girl friend, Adele Versh, 10, is over.

It ended last night when a ferreting conductor discovered them hiding in a sleeping car on a train, which they had boarded at Chicago, their home town, after deciding they would elope to the great north-west.

The conductor turned them over to the police, but Stechani didn't flinch. Instead, he reached down into his pocket and dug out his entire wealth, a nickel and five pennies, which he handed to a matron.

"Here," he said, "buy my girl a chocolate ice cream cone—and make it double."

Grand Old Man Of Tammany 102 Today

New York, July 27.—(AP)—John R. Voorhis, the grand old man of Tammany Hall, celebrated his 102nd birthday today by partaking of an egg and a glass of milk, which his physician said would do him more good than cake.

Besides, the Grand Sachem of Tammany Hall—that is his social title; his other is President of the Board of Elections—said he didn't want any more birthday cakes. "I've had too many birthday cakes already and I don't want any fuss this time."

Another unusual point in the birthday program this year was his radio interview with Dr. Thomas Darlington, a life-long friend.

Mr. Voorhis is a native of Pompton Lakes, N. J.

Former Teacher In Sterling Is Dead

Chicago, July 27.—(UP)—Death has ended the educational service of Prof. Horace A. Hollister, who retired from the University of Illinois in 1928 after 26 years in the Department of Education. He died in the Presbyterian hospital after an operation. He was 74 years old.

Prof. Hollister, who held posts in Springfield, Mo., California, Mo., and Sterling, Ill., formerly was president of the National Association of High School Supervisors and Inspectors. He served one year as Assistant Superintendent of Schools in Missouri.

IOWA BANK ROBBED

Maurice, Iowa, July 27.—(UP)—The Sioux County Savings Bank was robbed of \$1,500 today by two bandits. They escaped in an automobile.

SECRECY THROWN AROUND MANHUNT IN APACHE COUNTRY FOR MURDER OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY STUDENT

White River, Ariz., July 27.—(UP)—Secrecy was thrown today around news of the manhunt in the Apache country for the slayer of Henrietta Schmerler, Columbia University anthropology student, believed to have been killed by a jealous Indian.

Three leaders of the investigation were missing from search headquarters. It was believed they either were in a closed conference or pursuing a clue in connection with the mysterious death.

William Dinner, Superintendent of the White River Reservation, John Gungl, United States District Attorney for Arizona, and Deputy Sheriff George Woolford of Holbrook, could not be located.

Apaches, descendants of the famous tribe that spread terror

'FOLLIES' CAREERS OF TWO BEAUTIES MAY BE FINISHED

Explosion And Fire On Stage Star's Yacht Burned Two Girls

Greenport, L. I., July 27.—(UP)—Two glorified follies beauties feared possible termination of their stage career today by burns received in an explosion aboard the yacht of Clara Bow's former sweetheart, Harry Richman, star of the Follies. The blast also injured Richman and Mark Hellinger, Broadway columnist, both of whom leaped into the water to rescue other victims.

Helen Walsh and Virginia Biddle, two dark-eyed members of the chorus, tossed on hospital cots and prayed the flames which seared their faces and bodies would not disfigure permanently their brunette beauty.

The only member of the yachting party of six to escape unhurt was Gladys Glad, Hellinger's wife, often called the most beautiful of show girls. Richman and Hellinger were burned about the arms and legs and Robert Levy, Richman's chauffeur, suffered superficial burns. Samuel White, skipper, was burned about the face and thrown onto a dock by the blast.

Death Was Feared. Miss Walsh was so badly injured it was feared at first she would die and the last rites of the Catholic church were administered.

"My face is my living, I hope it isn't burned," she moaned, after Hellinger and Richman had rescued her, her clothes aflame, from the cabin.

The five Follies artists and Levy—Hellinger wrote one of the skits in the new Ziegfeld show—had gone aboard Richman's newly purchased Chevalier 11 for a week-end fishing cruise after the performance Saturday night at Beechhurst. The girls slept in the cabin. The men took turns at the wheel.

The yacht arrived here about 9:30 A. M. Sunday morning for refueling. After the fueling, Hellinger started to cast off. As Levy attempted to start the engine a terrific blast ripped through the craft and flames shot out of the cabin.

Under flaming mattress. Hellinger jumped inside and found Miss Walsh pinned to the floor under a flaming mattress. He pulled her free and Richman carried her out and jumped overboard with her. Levy pushed Miss Biddle and Miss Glad through the forward hatch to safety. Hellinger, his shirt ablaze, leaped overboard and helped Richman support Miss Walsh.

White was hurled ten feet to the dock. He got up, dazed, and started walking toward his home. He asked everyone he met to pull a fishhook from his hand, where it was lodged in the blast. Finally he jerked it out himself.

The explosion was believed caused when a spark from the motor ignited gasoline fumes.

The yacht was completely wrecked. Richman purchased the craft a 32-foot sea-going cruiser, only two weeks ago.

Woman's Story Substantiated

Chicago, July 27.—(AP)—The story of Mrs. Martha Thompson, an Indian, that the three-year-old child found in his custody by Rockford, Ill., authorities had been abandoned to her care by its parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fuller, was substantiated today by Alfred West, proprietor of the rooming house.

It was first believed the child, now held in a foundlings' home here, had been kidnapped. Mrs. Thompson is held in Rockford.

Further substantiation of the Indian woman's story was given by Frank Rack, a handbill distributor. He informed the police today he had lived with Mrs. Thompson two years at Rockford and was with her when Betty Fuller, unmarried mother, brought the infant to the Indian woman. The officers planned to take him to north side rooming houses to search for the mother.

through the southwest 75 years ago, went about their tasks in silence and refused to discuss the case.

The Indians, who have no gods, no tribal secrets and no ceremonies, obtain their entertainment from a "country" dance once a week at Fort Apache, and Miss Schmerler was enroute to one of these dances when she met death.

Seven Apaches and W. R. Warner, a Fort Apache white man, were released from custody after they had been questioned. Authorities are convinced the slayer was an Apache.

Miss Schmerler's body, decomposed by the storms that swept through the region last week, was prepared for removal to her New York City home, which she left in favor of pursuing the secrets of the Apaches in their

CENSORSHIP IS CLAMPED DOWN AT STATEVILLE

Rigid Ban Placed On News From Twin State Prisons

Springfield, Ill., July 27.—(UP)—State officials today refused to comment on a report that a rigid censorship had been imposed on news out of the Illinois state prisons at Joliet and Stateville.

Col. Frank D. Whipp, Superintendent of Prisons, who returned to Springfield today after a visit at the Joliet and Stateville prisons declined to discuss reports of a censorship. He said that any statement regarding the matter would have to come from Warden H. C. Hill of the prison.

Other officials connected with the Department of Public Welfare which has supervision over the state's penal institutions were reported as being out of the city.

Joliet, Ill., July 27.—(AP)—A rigid ban on news from the twin state penitentiaries at Joliet was in force today.

Warden Henry C. Hill called a conference of the prison staff yesterday and issued orders that no more is to be given out. He indicated that information of prison affairs had been leaking from unofficial sources and that any guard or officer furnishing news in the future will be dismissed.

Search of the prison yard for hidden tools and weapons was scheduled to begin today, but the Warden declined to say whether it was progressing. Last week, as a sequel to tips of an impending rebellion, the cell houses were swept clean of contraband.

Pending a personal examination of the full report of the Wickersham commission on prisons, in which the Joliet penitentiary administration was censured for overcrowding conditions, lack of plumbing and the practice of shackling convicts to doors, Warden Hill said he had no comment to make. He announced he had orders from the state administration to issue no further bulletins from the prison except in case of an escape. If a riot occurs, he said, he will be too busy suppressing it to interview reporters.

Charles Popp of this city was assessed a fine of \$25 and costs on an intoxication charge by Police Magistrate A. E. Simonson this morning. Popp was arrested by several police last night after creating a scene on Highland avenue near Ninth street.

Raymond Prayes of Chicago was assessed a fine of \$10 and costs in police court last evening by Justice J. O. Shaulls on a charge of operating a motor vehicle with fictitious plates.

HURT IN ACCIDENT

Leroy Beers, local cab driver, and Edward Beers, his brother, were in the Dixon public hospital today recovering from injuries sustained in an automobile crash early Sunday morning when the Ford sedan in which they were riding crashed into the abutment of a heavy concrete culvert on the Rock Island road just west of the Hill school.

Beers sustained a compound fracture of the left arm, injuries to his Mealey was cut about the head, his back and deep cuts about the face.

Both men suffered the loss of several teeth. The car was badly damaged and was brought to Dixon.

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The former Mattson mayor, however, has denied being acquainted with the three witnesses and has obtained a number of continuances.

MATTSON'S EX-MAYOR Faces Arson Charge

Charleston, Ill., July 27.—(AP)—A jury to consider the evidence against George A. Kizer, former Mayor of Mattson, charged with arson, was being selected here today.

Kizer is said to have paid three Trilla men to fire his automobile agency garage at Charleston, December, 1930. He is said to have collected a \$6,000 insurance following the fire.

Indictments against Kizer were obtained on alleged confessions of Ramsey Patton, Schiller Patton and Ira Schull or Trilla. The three men told authorities that they set the building afire by arrangement with Kizer.

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SETS CONSPIRACY TRIAL

Chicago, July 27.—(AP)—Judge John Prystalski today docketed the trial of Daniel Serravallo and Harry Hochstein, former City Sealer and Deputy, for September, 3. They are charged with a conspiracy to allow short weighing.

WEATHER

Chicago, July 27.—(AP)—Lloyd Newberry, one of Al Capone's leading lieutenants, surrendered to Federal authorities today on charges of conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws, brought against him in a Peoria indictment.

Newberry, the biggest figure named in the Peoria conspiracy case which was another step in the government's drive to put the Capone gang out of business, appeared at the United States Marshal's office with his attorney.

He asked for an immediate hearing before United States Commissioner Edwin K. Walker so that his Attorney could plead for a reduction in bond, tentatively set at \$15,000. The hearing was granted.

Newberry's bond was cut by Walker to \$5,000 when Daniel Anderson, Assistant District Attorney, said he had no objections, provided the amount was in Liberty bonds. The gangster's attorney, William Waugh, agreed to the restriction, and Newberry was freed.

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Terse Items of News Gathered in Dixon During Day

LEAGUE MEETING

A meeting of the officers and managers of the Northern Illinois Baseball League will be held at the Moose hall in Dixon this evening at 8 o'clock.

CLINIC AT AMBOY

The regular monthly Tuberculosis Clinic will be held in the W. R. C. Building, Amboy, on Thursday, from 10:00 A. M. to 4:00 P. M. Dr. Robt. H. Hayes of Chicago will act as clinician.

HIGHLANDERS BEATEN

The Highland avenue ball team of Dixon was defeated by the Nachusa Wildcats by a score of 34 to 26 in a batting bee at Nachusa Sunday afternoon. Crabtree and Bovey of the Dixon team each scored home runs. Fair, Hintz and Brink ranked among the circuit clouters with Clark and Morris accounting for two each. A total of 77 hits were scored in the game.

BARBERS MAKE BOW

The Dixon barbers baseball team will make their initial appearance this evening at 6 o'clock at the playground at the E. C. Smith school, opposing the team composed of local mechanics from the auto garages captained by Leo Miller. Manager William Eckert will present the following lineup of barbers: James Bales, pitcher; Bowers, catcher; Wilbur, first base; Dewey, second base; Durant, third base; Wickey and Wickey, short stops; Sharkey, left field; Strub, center field; Reuland, right field.

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Heavy Fighting In Interior Of China

Tokyo, July 27.—(AP)—Heavy fighting with many casualties in the region between Paoingfu and Chentungfu was reported today from Peking.

The Mukden forces, dispatches, said, launched a general offensive to check the advances of General Shihyushan along the Peking-Hankow Railway, and reinforcement for the Mukden troops were en-trenching just outside Peking.

Minimum rates range from thirty-

HAPPINESS ROAD OF YOUNG COUPLE ENDED IN DEATH

Death Of Chicago Inventor Discloses Pact With His Wife

Chicago, July 27.—(UP)—The "road to happiness" over which Dell F. Harbaugh, 43, and his 22-year-old wife, Elizabeth, agreed by contract to travel, has ended in death. When the Harbaughs were reconciled last March after an estrangement of six months they signed a contract headed "Our Road to Happiness."

It was a summing up of the things each promised to do and not to do, an agreement to be true to each other, a pact which even regulated exactly how they were to spend their earnings. It was based upon their experiences during their three years of married life prior to the separation.

Among the things they agreed were that both would forgive and forget the past, that they would not discuss family affairs with outsiders that the husband would be "kind but firm" that they would have a home "to live in, not to look at," that they would have a good time, and would lead honest, Christian lives.

Calls His "Wonderful"

"Dell was a wonderful man," said Mrs. Harbaugh today in telling of their married life and of its tragic termination Sunday when her husband was fatally shot as they struggled over a gun which she threatened to kill herself, she said, he had broken the "Road to Happiness" pact which she held sacred even though it wasn't legal.

"He was an inventor," Mrs. Harbaugh told police. "He had invented a process to waterproof paper and had a great future ahead of him. But although he was brilliant he was not a good husband."

They were happy after their reconciliation, she said, until Sunday, when he told her he was going down town to meet a man on business. Doubting, she followed him. He admitted then, she said, that it was a girl he was to meet instead of a man.

They returned home, she said, but later again he prepared to leave and told her he was going to meet the girl. She secured a revolver, ran after him, told him she was going to kill herself and the struggle followed. He was shot through the abdomen and died a few minutes later.

"I didn't mean to kill him," she said. "I ran to catch him to say goodbye, then shoot myself. If he had left me alone I would have been the one."

Clinton Doctor's Case Is Continued

Chicago, July 27.—(AP)—The state today was granted a delay until Sept. 21 in the hearing of charges of practicing medicine without a license against Lester Tilton, head of a "cancer clinic" in Clinton, Ia.

The continuance was requested by Assistant State's Attorney Edward Dufficy who said the time was required to gather 60 witnesses and technical evidence.

Tilton, who is in Iowa, was not required to be in court.

The case involved in the charge today was that of Valentine Czarnik, Chicago. The state contended he died a few weeks after receiving treatment for cancer from Tilton.

Tilton, who is at liberty under \$25,000 bond, also faces damage suits totaling \$150,000 filed in Superior Court by persons who claimed he treated them without success.

PAINFULLY FRANK

Canton, Ill., July 27.—(AP)—Lloyd Cecil Dole is so frank it's painful. A Peoria policeman asked him where he got the automobile he was driving, and Dole replied: "I stole it."

He had taken the car and the keys to several others parked near a coal mine here Saturday. He was held to the grand jury today.

MINIMUM PREVAILING WAGE RATES FOR HIGHWAY WORK IN DIXON AREA ESTABLISHED BY STATE DEPARTMENT

Springfield, Ill., July 27 (UP)—Minimum prevailing rates of wages in the localities where the Highway Department plans to build the first roads under the new prevailing wage law were announced today by the state Department of Public Works and Buildings.

The minimum prevailing rates of wages were scheduled in a notice sent to contractors that the Highway Department will receive bids on August 18 on projects in Cook, Lake, Kane, Christian, Montgomery, Lee, DeKalb, McDonough, Sangamon, Piatt, Jasper, Alexander, LaSalle, Marshall, Pike, Calhoun, Union, Johnson, Pulaski, Jefferson, Jackson Randolph, Carroll and Putnam counties.

Minimum rates range from thirty-

STERLING NEGRO SHOT: ALLEGED GUNMAN CAUGHT

Greek Held Without Bond, Denies Any Part In Shooting

Nicholas Prohitis, a Greek, is a prisoner in the Rock Falls city jail today, held without bonds on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon, as the result of the shooting of Sterling Akins, Negro porter at the Galt House in Sterling, shortly after noon on Sunday. The wounded man is a patient at the Sterling public hospital, and his alleged assailant was held in the Rock Falls jail pending the outcome of the wounds.

The shooting, which Prohitis said Akins did himself during a scuffle for the weapon, is alleged to have occurred during a crap game at a point about a mile east of Rock Falls on the Dixon road. Chief of Police Berlin of Rock Falls received a call about 12:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon, but no traces of Prohitis was found until late last evening when he was arrested on the Lincoln Highway, east of Sterling.

At the Sterling hospital it was stated this morning that Akins who was shot through the abdomen, was making as good progress as could be expected and unless complications develop he is expected to recover.

Graf Zeppelin Is Well Above Arctic

Friedrichshafen, Germany, July 27.—(UP)—The dirigible Graf Zeppelin, making a Polar exploration tour, reported her position direct to her base here by wireless today as in Barents Sea, west of Nova Zembla Land. The message said:

"Our position at 1 P. M., Central European time (7 A. M. EST) was 75° 30' north, 48° 20' east."

The position given is far into the Arctic, about 1,000 miles from the North Pole.

Friedrichshafen, Germany, July 27.—(AP)—Last word from the dirigible Graf Zeppelin put her well above the Arctic Circle at 68 degrees north latitude, longitude 43 east.

A wireless report from the ship was received at the Zeppelin Works here just before midnight.

On the basis of the position reported at that time by the dirigible, she was well on her way to Franz Joseph Land, where Dr. Hugo Eckener, commander, expected to make contact with the Russian ice-breaker Malgoin.

The ship left Leningrad Sunday morning and her schedule called for about six days in the Arctic during which the party of scientists aboard planned to gather data about winds and weather.

Mendota Woman Dies At Daughter's Home

Mrs. Elsie A. Nolan, a life long resident of Mendota, where she was born 74 years ago, passed away at 3:30 this morning at the home of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Gilman, 617 Jackson avenue. She had been ill for several weeks with complications and had been receiving treatment at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Gilman, and one son Alfred Nolan of Mendota. The remains will be taken to Mendota where funeral services will be conducted Wednesday with interment at that place.

Shabbona Couple Killed In Crash

George Sawyer, 75 years old, a farmer residing near Shabbona, Ill., and his wife, Almira, 65 years old, were killed yesterday when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Burlington railroad train west of Waterman, Ill.

A daughter of the couple, Miss Edith Sawyer, 45 years old, was seriously injured in the crash. All were on their way to attend a family reunion near Waterman.

ARMY CADETS KILLED.

San Antonio, Tex., July 27.—(UP)—Two Kelley Field Army Flying Cadets were killed today when their plane crashed at Fort Clark, near Bracketville. The dead: Robert Burke, Dyersburg, Tenn. George M. Orser, Jasper, Ala. The plane was wrecked but did not catch fire.

Girl, 15, Drowned: Her Chum Rescued

Greenville, Ill., July 27.—(AP)—Alice Marie Goodin, 15, was drowned yesterday afternoon and her chum Ellen Marie Leidner narrowly escaped the same fate while they were swimming in the Okaw river six miles east of Hookdale. The Goodin girl stepped into a deep hole and dragged her chum with her. Fred Leidner, father of Ellen, rescued his daughter, but the Goodin girl sank. Norman Cross of Vandallia later recovered her body.</

SOCIETY

Calendar of Coming Events

Monday
W. R. C.—G. A. R. Hall.
Tuesday
Bridge luncheon—Dixon Country Club.
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Thursday
Zion Household Science Club—Mrs. Howard Switzer, on Harmon Road.

(Call Mrs. E. E. Holdridge at No. 1 for society items.)

WHITE MONDAY

FROM the old school house window
We painted a frozen pond
With skaters' tracks upon it,
And the mist-blue woods beyond.

We painted an old church steeple
And the tracks of a fleeing sleigh—
And that was all, for the snow came down
And the scene turned blurry gray.

As the flaking sky fell earthward
And blotted out the pond,
And smothered the rutted roadway
And the mist-blue woods beyond.

The smallest child said quickly
His painting was complete,
And smilingly showed the teacher
An untouched, blank white sheet!

Lustrous Fabrics Of Evening Gowns Are Rich In Hue

By DIANA MERWIN
Paris (AP)—New evening gowns are known by their skirt lines these days.

The latest after-nine-o'clock robes which Parisian couturiers exhibit have skirts with more intricate drapes and flounces than they have displayed in years. Even trains have been added to the night time picture.

Fabrics are lustrous and luxurious, while colors reflect the rich hues of Rembrandt's palette, with wine and grape tones such as raspberry, ripe gooseberry, plum and prune, prominent in fashion's picture.

One of the most striking of the new gowns is designed of raspberry moire with a tight hipline extending almost to the knees and three narrow flounces gathering the fullness to the front of the skirt.

A ruche of moire flowers in two shades of raspberry, draped about the neckline in a manner reminiscent of the old-fashioned feather box, and long gloves of the same tint and tissue complete the frock.

Another smart, new evening gown is designed of crimson and gold lame, with a wide flouncebreaking from the neckline and swirling into a long train, while a third of prune colored chiffon has a knife-pleated skirt clearing the floor in front and sweeping it for six inches on either side.

Eggshell satins with skirts ending in a long flounce embroidered in pearl and coral beads and pale blue and green satins ending in 18-inch trains are also taking their place in the evening mode.

SCARVES OF BEADS MATCH PARIS' HATS

Paris. (AP)—Bead scarves to match the facings of hats are a new wrinkle in the style world.

A number of hats, designed with brims curving sharply back from the face, are heavily embroidered in small wooden or china beads worn with little scarves made of the same beads. The colors of the bead designs are brilliant and are alike on scarf and chapeau.

WERE DINNER GUESTS AT CLARK HOME

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mallory and son, Donald, of Milwaukee, and Charles Thompson and son, Kenneth of Chicago, were out-of-town guests at a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Clark, Sunday. Dixon guests included the mother of Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Frank Gennett, and Mrs. Clark's sisters, Mrs. Cora Ethridge and Mrs. E. A. Brotsch.

ICE CREAM SOCIAL TUESDAY EVENING

Golden Rule Circle of Grace Evangelical church will hold an Ice Cream and cake social on the parsonage lawn, 213 E. Chamberlain St. Tuesday evening, July 28. Generous servings.

Sterling's

MENU FOR SATURDAY
TUESDAY'S MENU
Breaded Veal Cutlets with Brown Sauce,
Steamed Potatoes, Green Beans
Brown Betty Pudding
Hot Rolls or Bread

MENU FOR THE FAMILY

By MRS. ALEXANDER GEORGE

A PICNIC MENU
Ham Loaf Potato Salad
Pickles Radishes
Sliced Tomatoes
Buttered Rolls Grape Jelly
Picnic Fruit Cake Lemonade

Ham Loaf, Serving 12

2 cups chopped ham
3 tablespoons fat, melted
1-2 cups bread crumbs
2 eggs
2 tablespoons chopped onions
2 tablespoons chopped green peppers

1-2 teaspoon celery salt
1-2 cups milk

3 tablespoons fat, melted

Mix ingredients. Pour into buttered loaf pan. Bake 40 minutes in moderate oven. Unmold and when cold slice. Garnish with parsley and slices of hard cooked eggs.

Potato Salad

3 cups diced, cooked potatoes

1 cup diced cucumbers

1 cup diced celery

3 hard cooked eggs, diced

1-2 teaspoons salt

1-4 teaspoon paprika

2 tablespoons chopped pimentos

3 tablespoons finely chopped onions

1 cup salad dressing

Mix and chill ingredients. Place in bowl lined with lettuce, top with salad dressing, and sprinkle with paprika.

A Fruit Cake

2 tablespoons butter

1 cup sugar

2 eggs

1 teaspoon cloves

1 teaspoon nutmeg

2 teaspoons cinnamon

1-2 teaspoon salt

1 teaspoon soda

1 cup sour milk

2 cups flour

1-2 teaspoon baking powder

1 cup chopped raisins

1-2 cup nuts

Cream butter and sugar. Add remaining ingredients and beat three minutes. Pour into greased loaf pan and bake 45 minutes in slow oven.

Lemonade

1 cup sugar

2 cups water

1 cup lemon juice

2 tablespoons grated lemon rind

Boil sugar and water two minutes. Cool, add rest of ingredients. Store in jar and when lemonade is desired pour three tablespoons of lemon mixture into glass of water.

Mrs. A. Gottle

Entertains Club

The South Dixon Community Club met at the home of Mrs. Arnold Gottle Wednesday afternoon with a large attendance of members and two visitors.

The business section of the meeting was spent in discussing plans for the annual picnic which will take place on Sunday, August 2, at the Arnold Gottle home. All members and their families are invited.

Mrs. Roy Fisher took the prize in a contest for good jokes. Cards served as the diversion for the remainder of the afternoon.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess and her assistants Mrs. Lauren Henry and Mrs. Walter Origen.

It has not yet been decided where the next meeting will be held.

Bridge Luncheon at Club Tuesday

There will be a bridge luncheon at the Dixon Country Club Tuesday and a good attendance is desired. Reservation should be made at the club as early as possible.

MISS COGSWELL SPENT WEEK-END AT D. C. LEAKE HOME

Miss Lucy Cogswell of Daytona Beach, Fla., who is spending the summer with her sister, Mrs. Charles Lawton in Palmyra, spent the week-end in Dixon, the guest of Mrs. D. C. Leake.

WERE WEEK-END VISITORS AT SIMONSON HOME

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Eaton and son, Richie, of Elmhurst, who were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Simonson and have returned to their home.

Mrs. Wagner, Dixon. Honored; Is President Lee Co. Council, American Legion Aux.

A large and enthusiastic group of women attended the meeting of Lee County Council, American Legion Auxiliary, at Lee Center, July 23. The Masonic Hall was gaily decorated with flags and garden flowers for the occasion. There was a splendid representation of all units of the county, except one. The meeting was called to order by the county president Mrs. Charlotte Prentice of Paw Paw. After the usual opening service, Mrs. Minnie Eaton, president of the Lee Center Unit, in a few well chosen words, welcomed the visitors.

Each unit in the county gave a splendid report of the work done during the past year. They all showed a fine amount of rehabilitation and child welfare work done among the hospitalized men and their dependents; and several units reported a great deal of civic work done also. Several members gave very interesting reports of visits to the various hospitals, and told of the needs of the ex-service men who are confined there. Letters of appreciation were read from hospital chairmen, for donations and telling how the "buddies" look forward to these visits of the auxiliary ladies, and how they appreciate the gifts of cigarettes, magazines, spoons, carpet rags, beads, cash for ice cream, etc., given them.

Election of county officers was held, and the new officers elected are as follows:

Mrs. Lila Wagner, Dixon, president; Mrs. Edith Berga, Amboy, vice president; Miss Alvina Hanneman, Lee Center, treasurer; and Mrs. Stella Schmucker, Dixon, secretary.

The sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Helen Poper, Amboy, then escorted Mrs. Mary Schmucker, Dixon, to the president's station, who, in a very impressive manner, installed the newly elected officers. Mrs. Wagner has served as president of Dixon unit during the past two years, and is well qualified to fill the office of County President.

After adjournment the Lee Center ladies served delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake; and those cakes would take the blue ribbon at any fair! A vote of thanks and appreciation was extended the Lee Center unit for their lovely hospitality.

Those in attendance from Dixon were: Mesdames Mary Schmucker, Stella Schmucker, Martha Fordyce, Viola Strub, Lillian Stevens, Ida Rosebrook, Corabel George, Frances Harting, Anna M. Drew and Lila Wagner.

Delightfully Entertained at Charters Home, Ashton

Mr. and Mrs. John Charters of Ashton delightfully entertained for Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Altekus and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dutcher of Dixon, other guests being Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Moore. After a delightfully appointed dinner the evening was happily spent in music and bridge. Mrs. Altekus and Dr. A. F. Moore were awarded favors at bridge.

ARE ATTENDING ANNUAL REUNION TODAY

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Ward Miller motored to Mt. Carroll today where they are attending the annual family reunion of the Miller family at Point Rock, near that city.

MRS. LADY ENTERTAINED SUNDAY

Mrs. Elizabeth Lady and Harry Besscker entertained Sunday at dinner Mr. and Mrs. Jake Winters of Gettysburg, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Montgomery of Chicago. In the afternoon all attended the auto races at Sterling.

HAVE RETURNED FROM WISCONSIN OUTING

Misses Calia Greig, Ethel Anderson and Dorothy and Clara Armstrong have returned home from a delightful ten days vacation trip spent among the lakes of Wisconsin.

ZION HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE CLUB TO MEET

The Zion Household Science Club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Howard Switzer on the Harmon Road. Mrs. Charles Beard will be the assistant hostess.

No Social Duties

There are no social duties connected with Donna Rachele's life. Her husband does not take her to state dinners or receptions. She does

Street Frock Smart for Early Fall Wear



The epitome of smartness for early Fall is the street frock, with correct footwear to emphasize its style points. Black satin and cotton crepe is blended in a svelt black and white street costume from Doris Reid, on left, which has something new in long white cuffs that slip up under wide black ones and a vestee that disappears at the neckline where black meets black. Classic pumps in black and suede and patent leather reproduce the feeling of the two materials of the frock. A lapis blue walking dress in one of the new wools, from Schiaparelli, has ragain sleeves, a new twist to its yoke neckline and a petalled belt line that is stunning. Absolutely in character with this very wearable and attractive dress is a new oxford in the autumn shade, Grissette, developed in contrasting leathers.

Mrs. Mussolini—A Homebody in a Palace; Italy's 'First Lady,' a Mother, First

By ANDRUE BERDING

Rome—(AP)—Signora Mussolini, wife of Il Duce, is perhaps the most secluded woman in Italy, and certainly among the least known of the wives of the world's great men.

While the fame and name of her powerful husband carry round the world, her own renown is confined within the four walls of her home.

No one in Italy speaks of Rachele Mussolini. Very few know anything about her. The wife of a prime minister in any other country is a person of national note, perhaps a "first lady of the land." But not in Italy!

Il Duce has ordered inflexibly that his wife and children are not to mingle or be mingled in his political life.

"My wife and family are my dearest possessions," he said, "but so greatly do I treasure them that I keep them apart from my day as something refreshing to go to when I have a moment in which to rest."

It is only in the last year or so that Signora Mussolini has lived with her husband in Rome. Heretofore she was tucked away in their little home town of Carpena, in the north.

Home Duties Are Heavy

Yet day after day, in her own simple way, Donna Rachele fulfills her task, which can't help but be difficult, as wife of Italy's prime minister.

She is mistress of their elaborate home, the Villa Torlonia, on the Via Nomentana, in a suburb to the northeast of the city.

This is a big home, and a considerable responsibility. Signora Mussolini looks after it carefully, checking minutely the purchases and accounts, never forgetting the day when a few cents meant a whole day's pay.

She is the mother of five children. One Edna, is married, but four live at home. Two of them, Romano and Anna Maria, are too young to go to school.

No Social Duties

There are no social duties connected with Donna Rachele's life. Her husband does not take her to state dinners or receptions. She does

not entertain the political or diplomatic world.

She goes to see very few friends, and receives few friends at the villa. She is protected from importunate visitors by the villa guards.

The last time she was seen at a public function was at the wedding of their daughter Edda to Count Galeazzo Ciano, more than a year ago.

What does she do to fill her life? She does what any wife of a hard-working husband and any mother of four lusty children would do.

A Busy Day

At seven in the morning she gets up and supervises the breakfast. She sees Vittorio and Bruno off to school office at nine. She takes care that at 7:45, and her husband off for his Romano and Anna Maria have something to do to occupy their time at home.

She then makes out the list of purchases for the day, and the menu for luncheon. Her husband and sons are home at 1:30 for luncheon, and leave again around 3.

Shopping Her Pleasure

In the afternoon she frequently goes automobile riding and shopping. Rachele Mussolini's chief enjoyment is "fare le spese," or doing her own buying.

Occasionally, but not often, she stops at this or that friend's house. She gets home in time to welcome Vittorio and Bruno returning from school, and to put Romano and Anna Maria to bed.

Then comes dinner, at nine o'clock. There are seldom any guests. After dinner she retires with her husband and sons to the large salon where they listen to the radio, and

at least half the time there are motion pictures.

Sometimes her husband plays the violin to the accompaniment of the player piano. She and her family are invariably in bed at 10:45.

YOUR CHILDREN

By Olive Roberts Barton

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On my travels the mother of an eight-year-old girl asked me how to cure thumb-sucking. I told her what I have said here many times—that I do not know how to do so.

This little girl already showed signs of a receding lower jaw. Without any doubt her teeth were not articulating properly; surfaces were rubbing against surfaces not intended for friction; they will wear out. And at her age this is especially serious because her second teeth are coming in the last she will ever have.

Moreover, wrong jaw conformation has a lot to do with the general health and occasionally with mental vigor. Otherwise bright and pretty she was one of the most promising of failures.

A Habit to Be Stopped

Now I said that I did not know what to do for such an unfortunate habit but there is one thing I should do. I should stop it. I should have stopped it when she was a year old. I should have liked to say to her mother. I may have put mittens on her, or I might have had the doctor recommend some distasteful preparation (harmless, of course) to put on the maltreated member. Perhaps I couldn't have cured her in a month or two or six. But by the time she was two years old she would not have been making a perpetual meal of her thumb. I am sure of that.

I forgot to ask this unhappy lady whether or not her daughter had ever been stuffed with a "pacifier" or a "comforter" when she was a baby; if she ever had that habit there was only one thing left for her to turn to when she had outgrown her baby ways—her thumb.

Both thumbs and pacifiers, by constant pulling, increases the size of the adenoid cells at the back of the nasal passage. "Adenoids" or spongy growths cause illness ear and throat trouble loss of appetite and stupidity. Since there has been less popularity of the pacifier, once so ubiquitous, there have been fewer cases of adenoid operation.

Organs May Be Affected

Tonsils, too, become swollen and irritated from thumb-sucking. In fact, everything about the mouth, throat and nose will suffer if the habit is not stopped.

I never heard of eyes being affected, but it just happens when I think of it that the same mother asked me about the little girl's eyes. They watered a good bit and she squinted a little. Of course, I suggested examination and glasses, but it seemed that had been tried; the doctor had merely prescribed a lotion instead of glasses. There was no evidence of strain.

There was a lot of sun where we were, and water too. A thought struck me. "Why don't you get her a pair of dark glasses while you are here, children's eyes need protection as well as those of older people." She approved of the idea and said she would, but we left the next day, and I do not know whether my inspiration materially helped or not.

I pass it on, however, for what it is worth. Why not dark glasses for children who suffer from the summer sun?

MOTORED TO ALEDO, ILL., ON SUNDAY

Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Moore, of Dixon, and Mrs. Arthur Gruver of Walla Walla, Washington, motored to Aledo, Ill., Sunday to visit at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Moore, where Mrs. Marcia Moore, mother of the two gentlemen and Mrs. Gruver, are visiting. Mrs. Gruver also remained for a visit at the Dr. Moore home in Aledo.

Anton and Ileana On Honeymoon Trip

Sinala, Rumania, July 27 —(AP)—Prince Anton and Princess Ileana were on their wedding journey today, and Sinala is getting back to normal.

After the brilliant pageantry of the wedding, the bride and bridegroom left for Castle Bran in Transylvania, where they will spend several days. Then they go to London for a spell, and from there they'll fly—in their wedding gift airplane from King Carol—to their castle at Freiburg Germany. The prince is an expert aviator.

Ileana, daughter of the late King Ferdinand and Marie, now Dowager Queen, and Anton, seventh son of Archduke Leopold Salvator of Hapsburg, were married in the Palace of Pelesh.

Glorifying Yourself

Watch your step when you put on make-up these days.

There is a new spirit in make-up abroad, under the new tip-tilted hats. And a new technique. It is incompatible to take to a new hat and keep your old make-up. You must be constant or you can't be chic.

In the first place, the hair line is quite important in the new coiffures that show so much on the left side of the face. The hair is nearer the nose and not too far away. For the new hats tend to broaden the face without your spreading your rouge out to give your cheeks width.

Remember, not too much rouge. And use a softer tone. The day of disks of gaudy color, obviously artificial and nonchalantly put there to be observed, is gone.

The more subtle effect you can achieve in the way you use your rouge, the more your grooming will be in the keeping with the elegance of the Empress Eugenie hats, the source of chic these days.

The best way to apply rouge with accuracy and a certain amount of skill is to prepare the skin for it by using a cream complexion base.

After you have lightly gone over the skin with this, put a bit of rouge on with the tips of your first finger, then circle it around and smooth it in with the tip of your second finger. Some women get it eased into the face best by using the bottom of the palm of the hand, the part nearest the wrist. It seems awkward to watch. But there is enough of a surface there to smooth it all out with one or two motions.

Next comes the powder. What type to use and how to apply this is important this summer too.

ORCHIDS RETAIN MRS. WILSON'S FAVOR

Washington—(AP)—Mrs. Woodrow Wilson still shows a fondness for orchids.

The flowers were invariably part of her costumes when she was first lady of the land. She appeared at a recent luncheon wearing black chiffon over cream lace, and with the draped neck held one shoulder by a bunch of her favorite flowers.

With this she wore a wide brimmed hat of black horsehair.

SPENT SUNDAY AT DR. SICKELS' HOME

Louis N. Sickels of St. Paul spent Sunday with Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Sickels in Dixon, the gentlemen being brothers. Ted Sickels, son of Louis Sickels, who came down from the Dr. Sickels cabin with the Doctor after they spent a few days in Northern Minnesota and enjoyed a visit at the Sickels home in Dixon.

returned home to St. Paul with his father.

YOUTHFUL GIRL TEACHER PREPERS DRIVING TRUCK

Edwardsville, Kan.—(UP)—Driving a big truck loaded with sand may not appeal to most girls as a pleasant way to earn a living, but it's a lot more fun than teaching school, declared Miss Violet Goodrich, 20, as she swung her truck onto the highway near her father's sand plant here.

Miss Goodrich graduated from high school in Sioux City, Ia., and then took enough college work to get her teacher's certificate. But the idea of spending her time in a stuffy schoolroom while other folks were out in the open air didn't appeal to her. So she came out here, climbed on the sand truck, and has had a good time.

SPENT WEEK-END WITH MR. AND MRS. A. A. ROWLAND

Mrs. B. J. Miller of Sheboygan, Wis., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Rowland in Dixon. Mrs. Miller, who is Mrs. Rowland's sister, is the Girl Scout Inspector for camps in four states, Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin and Minnesota.

HAVE RETURNED TO WATERFORD WOODS, WIS.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson and Mrs. Eunice McMahan have returned to Waterford Woods, Wis., where they are enjoying an outing, after attending the funeral in Dixon of Mrs. M. Northup, mother of Mrs. Dorrance Thompson.

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WERE GUESTS AT RAFFENBERGER HOME

Mrs. A. K. Phelps and mother, Mrs. S. A. Kubitt of Sterling, who have been guests at the home of Mrs. Henry Raffenberg, their aunt, in Dixon, have returned to their home.

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MOTORED TO PEORIA SUNDAY FOR THE DAY

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Dysart, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Woolley, motored to Peoria Sunday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith.

QUEST OR MRS. GERALD JONES

Mrs. D. L. Jones of Phoenix, Arizona, who is visiting in Oregon with friends, is the guest today in Dixon of Mrs. Gerald Jones.

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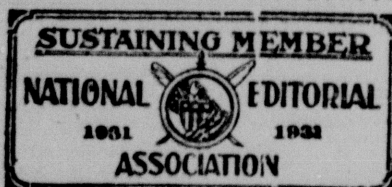
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AN ENCOURAGING SIGN.
The old Arab saying—"This, too, will pass"—ought to go well, framed, on the walls of business men's offices these days. In the early part of 1930 men were predicting that prosperity would be back in another month, at the longest; now they tend to believe that the depression will never end at all.

One is reminded of all of this, somehow, by the news, buried in the financial columns recently, that the Hudson Bay Company has passed a dividend.

The Hudson Bay Company, unfortunately, is not unique in that respect. It has been a year of passed dividends, all around. The shareholder who gets dividend checks regularly can congratulate himself as being luckier than many of his brethren.

What makes this particular incident interesting is the fact that the Hudson Bay Company is one of the oldest companies on earth. It has been in continuous operation since 1670. This depression is not the first it has seen, nor is it the worst; and one is safe in guessing that it will not be the last.

One imagines that the directors of the company are not unduly alarmed by the present depression. Their company was an old, established house before the French lost Canada. It lived through the world-wide panic that followed the bursting of the notorious "Mississippi bubble" over two centuries ago. It survived the turmoil of the Napoleonic wars and their troublesome aftermath. It is older than most of the earth's existing governments.

To some of us the depression looks like a calamity that will never end—a prelude to universal downfall. But to the gentlemen of the Hudson Bay Company, probably, it is visible in its proper perspective. In the days since 1670 it has weathered a good many storms. "This, too, will pass."

SHORT BUT DANGEROUS.

The dangers of an airplane flight usually are in direct proportion to the length of the flight. Ordinarily, a short flight is much safer than a long one. But with balloons, apparently, it isn't that way at all.

The recent balloon race which started from Akron, with a trophy cup and the right to compete in the international balloon race next fall as first prize, illustrates the point. The winning balloon, a U. S. navy craft piloted by Lieutenant T. G. W. Settle, came down at Marilla, N. Y., just 250 miles from the starting point. The race was one of the shortest, from the point of miles traveled, in history.

But it was also one of the most dangerous. Weather conditions were atrocious. Intermittent lightning storms endangered the racers for hours. Few balloonists have lived through more hazardous experiences.

Distance, evidently, has nothing to do with danger where balloons are concerned.

RENTERS AND LANDLORDS.

There seems to be something about a business depression that brings out foggy thinking. The president of an eastern real estate board, for example, remarked the other day that "it may be true that rents are still greater than money can afford to pay, but this does not alter the fact that the landlord is entitled to a return on his investment."

In the magazine, The Nation, the quotation is neatly reversed so that it reads: "It may be true that the landlord is entitled to a return on his investment, but this does not alter the fact that rents are still greater than many can afford to pay."

It fits as well one way as another; and the country at large will probably agree that the renter deserves a bit more sympathy than the landlord.

After weeks of the scorching glare of the suns, it was pleasant to see green lawns and lie beside little brooks.—Frank S. Smythe, conqueror of Mount Kamet.

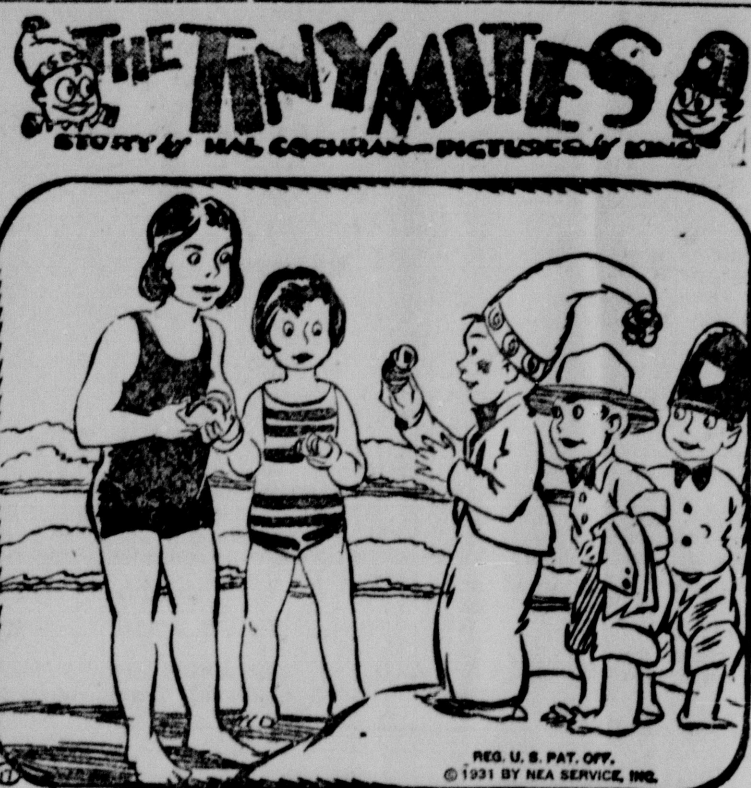
I have no doubt that when the Romans drove their magnificent roads across the country, some aged druids complained of their oak trees being cut down.—Sir P. Chalmers Mitchell.

I prefer to believe that the majority of people in the world in these days think that war hurts everybody, benefits nobody except the profiteers, and settles nothing.—Field Marshal Sir William Robertson.

I know of no two nations with absolute mutual confidence, and that is one of the gravest calamities weighing upon the nations of the world.—Foreign Minister Estrada of Mexico.

Advertising has played an important part in raising our standards of living, in stimulating invention, and in maintaining competition.—President Hoover.

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Up to a point the shells were all curled. When, suddenly, Clowny hurled one out into the water, wee Scouty shouted, "Don't do that! It is best to leave them on the shore. If all are thrown in, there will be no more. I think I will gather up enough to fill my little hat."

Off came his hat and soon he had it full of shells, which made him very glad. The Travel Man, however, smiled and said, "I see you have found some very pretty shells by son, and you have had a lot of fun, but tell me how you are going to carry all of them around."

"They are really heavy as can be. The job would not appeal to me, and, also, with your hat off you will get a sunburned head."

Then Scouty said, "I guess you're right. I'd be a foolish Tinymite. I'd like to keep them but I will drop them on the sand instead."

Just then they heard a merry cry and wee Coppy shouted, "Me, oh my! Here come some pretty little girls. They are getting the konk shells too. Hey, Scouty! Don't throw yours away. Just think that all those girls will say if you just give yours to them. That would be real nice, too."

"You are right," said wee Scouty. "I will do that, and then once more I will wear my hat." And then the little girls came up and Mister Travel Man said, "Well, I see you are getting konk shells that are washed up by water swells. We have some that we will give you."

Up to him the wee girls ran. Then Scouty held his hatful out. "Take them all," said he, "I have no doubt that there are many real pretty ones. I gathered them myself."

"Oh, thanks," one of the girls replied. "You are very kind."

Another sighed. "We'll take them all right home with us and decorate a shelf."

(The Tinymites watch a turtle in the next story.)



BALKAN CONFERENCE

On July 27, 1917, a conference of allied diplomats and military leaders adjourned at Paris after examining the situation in the Balkan Peninsula.

The conference reached an agreement concerning the Greek territories in military occupation. Great Britain, France and Italy agreed to cease simultaneously, as soon as possible, the military occupation they were obliged to undertake of territory in Old Greece, Thessaly and Epirus.

There three powers decided to retain for the period of the war the naval and military base at Corfu, which was to remain under Greek sovereignty. Before separating, the members of the conference passed the following resolution:

The allied powers, more closely allied and more closely united than ever before in defense of the rights of nations, especially those of the Balkan Peninsula, are determined to render impossible and return in the future of acts of criminal aggression such as those for which the autocracy of the Central Empires has been responsible."

Daily Health Talk

THORACOPLASTY
Great progress has been made in recent years in the surgical treatment of a variety of lung conditions.

This progress has been due to improved surgical skill, as well as to the development of better anesthetics and better dissecting or cutting instruments.

Thoracoplasty, the name indicating a plastic operation upon the thorax or chest, is an operation employed in certain forms of tuberculosis, in the treatment of abscesses of the lung and other disease conditions where compression of the lung is indicated as a form of treatment.

In thoracoplasty a certain portion from a number of ribs on the affected side is removed and the pleural chest wall is pushed inward. In this manner, there is secured a partial or complete collapse of the lung.

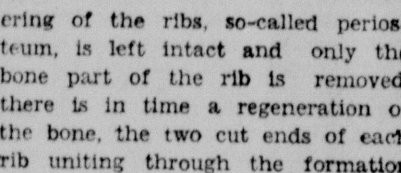
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erling of the ribs, so-called periosteum, is left intact and only the bone part of the rib is removed.

There is in time a regeneration of the bone, the two cut ends of each rib uniting through the formation of new bone.

The shape of the new bone conforms to the collapsed position of the chest, so that there is a permanent indentation of the chest wall which keeps the compressed lung in place.

Thoracoplasty is a complicated and serious operation and in tuberculosis is employed only when other methods for compressing the lung, for example, pneumothorax, cannot be used, or when they do not give desired results.

Phrenicotomy is another form of surgical treatment of tuberculosis of the chest. In phrenicotomy the nerve on one side running to the diaphragm is severed, resulting in the paralysis of a portion of the diaphragm.

By paralyzing that portion of the diaphragm which is on the same side as the affected lung, the movements of the diseased lung are diminished and comparative rest is secured.

Tomorrow—Babies in Summer.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Thy tongue deviseth mischief; like a sharp razor, working deceitfully.—Psalms 52:2.

Give not thy tongue too great a liberty, lest it take thee prisoner. A word unspoken is like a sword in the scabbard, thine; if vented, thy sword is in another's hand. If thou desist to be wise, be so wise as to hold thy tongue.—Quarles.

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Washington News

By Chas. F. Scott

Washington, D. C. July 27.—The writer of these lines was brought up in Kansas where a rainfall in the middle of summer always is followed by a sharp life-saving drop in temperature. He supposed that this is what happened always and everywhere whenever there was a downpour of rain on a hot day. He was surprised, therefore, when he visited the tropics to discover that so far from lowering the temperature, rainfall there, made the weather even warmer and more oppressive. And he has been further surprised here in Washington this summer to find that in this respect the national capital is repeating the experience of the tropics. All through July, with the temperature up in the 90's, there have been frequent rains. Every afternoon for the last three days there has been a heavy downpour. But the temperature does not go down with the rain. Falling on the wide sun baked asphalt streets the rain simply rises in steam and the last part of the day is worse than the first.

But out in the country the frequent showers do their perfect work. Corn is growing as a westerner never would believe it could grow in these clay hills of Maryland and Virginia and crops of everything are luxuriant. A few days ago I drove through the historic town of Frederick. "Green walled in by the hills of Maryland," and across the lovely valley in the heart of which it lies, and I cannot recall ever having seen a country more apparently prosperous, every field loaded with its crops, high grade cattle and sheep grazing in its pastures, big white houses and huge red barns—a very peaceful and prosperous and happy valley.

The Secretary of Labor estimates that immigration for the 1931 calendar year will not exceed 50,000, and that deportations will reach 20,000. Deportations will thus set a new record while immigration will be cut to the lowest total in a century. That American wage earners are profiting and will continue to profit through decreased competition is obvious when it is noted that only one alien is being received now where there were five even a year ago and where there were thousands ten years ago.

While the debt moratorium proposed by President Hoover continues to command the attention of Capitalist statesmen the problem of working out the details has transferred itself across the Atlantic and is now centering itself in Paris and London. As a practical accomplishment, the plan has gone into effect, France having notified Germany that she would expect no payment on reparations during the year and debt payments among the nations principally concerned having been suspended. It remains yet to be seen whether Germany will be able to weather the financial crisis which was impending when the moratorium was declared, the means by which this may be accomplished being the subject upon which the big statesmen of Europe are concentrating their attention. In the conference that are being held on the subject the United States is powerfully represented by Mr. Mellon, Mr. Stimson and the ambassadors to Great Britain, Germany and France. A great deal is being made of this participation in Europe where it is welcomed as evidence that the United States recognizes that in such a crisis as now impends the outcome of which must have a tremendous effect upon the weal and woe of the whole world, this great nation cannot afford to hold aloof. In our own country there are some, either politically hostile to the President or irreconcilable in their opposition to

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By Ahern



any sort of European "entanglement" who express alarm lest we be drawn into continental politics. The preponderance of American sentiment, however, without doubt fully justifies the policy of the Administration, recognizing that in the words of the President "national independence and international understanding are not incompatible," and that the richest and most powerful nation in the world cannot completely isolate itself when problems worldwide in their import are being considered. It is highly creditable to American common sense and patriotism that in such an emergency as this the President can have the assurance that in his effort to lead the nations into paths of prosperity and peace he has the sympathetic support of the vast majority of his countrymen.

Apropos of the reference just made to American participation in world affairs, it is worth while to be reminded now and then, as we were by a recent address of the Secretary of State, that the nations of the world are really all one great family, for the most part maintaining among each other relations of entire amity and good will. In Washington there are stationed some 52 ambassadors, ministers and other charges of foreign countries with whom the Department of State is in constant contact, while we have in other lands 55 American embassies and legations and 345 consuls, while the Department of State here at home has a personnel of some 800, all of whom are constantly occupied with the business of keeping our government in touch with the rest of the world and looking after the interests of American citizens in foreign countries.

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Moody Orders Stop In Enforcing New Law

Springfield, Ill., July 25.—(UP)—State Highway police were notified today to refrain, until further notice, from enforcement of the new law regulating commercial motor bus and truck traffic on state highways.

The notification was sent out by Chief Walter L. Moody as a result of the issuance of a federal injunction by Judge Walter C. Lindsey at Danville, Tuesday, and by the Sangamon County Circuit Court last week.

The law is aimed to close the state highways to "the long and cumbersome single trailer units" which, the new law's sponsors say, "endanger the life of the individual motorist and wear out the hard roads."

Previous to the issuance of the injunction, state Highway Police had arrested sixty drivers of vehicles of the trailer type, used mostly in transporting new automobiles from factories to agencies. Moody's action, he

said, was taken to avoid the possibility of being cited for contempt of court.

Fifty-Years Given Hitch-Hiking Gunman

Kansas City, Mo., July 25.—(UP)—Joseph Greco, 22, Chicago hitchhiker who accepted a ride from Rudolph Petercek of Topeka, Kan., and then held him up, today began a 50 year prison term for shooting Petercek when he resisted.

His 17-year-old companion, Martha Davis, and her 15-year-old sister, Ann will be sent back to their homes in Virden, Ill. They came here seeking work and met Greco on the way. Greco said that Martha knew nothing of his holdup plan when they got in Petercek's car. She was shot in the arm during the scuffle between the men.

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WHITE RUSSIANS TEACH REFUGEES POLICE ACTIVITY

The Best Points in Famous Detective Bureaus Are Incorporated

Paris. —(UP)— A school to train Russian refugees in police work has been started in Paris. Although the White Russians ousted from their country by the Soviets may never have anything to police a number of their leaders are determined that they shall be prepared to assume control of their country if the occasion arises.

The school, which already numbers about 400 men, will grant diplomas after the manner of the detective schools that advertise in magazines of the United States. The school is sponsored by an organization with the considerable name of "The Direction General of the Association of Former Functionaries of the Urban and Rural Communities of the Russian Empire and Abroad." The name when pronounced in Russian, would cause any criminal to halt and throw up his hands.

To Aid White Russians
The actual purpose of the organization is to create, within the laws of any country, an organization capable of looking after the interests of White Russians in connection with the activities of the secret police of the Soviets. Such events as the kidnapping and probable murder of General Kouteff, a White Russian leader, has made his political adherents apprehensive for the safety of other leaders.

The founders of the school have made it plain, however, that the school is not to engage in any offensive or illegal activities in strange countries.

The greater number of students in the school are either former officers in the Russian imperial armies or Russian lawyers.

Two Types Preferred
Preference have been given to both classes in view of their presumed previous training and ability. Colonel Mikhail Felichkine, former underprefect of Odessa and head of the police of Riga, is in charge of the school.

Police organization, as demonstrated in France, will be the model of instruction in the school, however. Instruction will be given in the latest police methods of the Surete Generale, the French Scotland Yard. In addition, there will be classes in routine police work which will include handling of crowds, breaking up of street fights, disarming of criminals and general gymnastic work.

Vanguard Of I. N. G. Is Preparing Camp

Camp Grant, Ill., July 25.—(UP)—The vanguard of Illinois' National Guard Army has arrived at the scene of the annual encampment here to make preparations for the soldiers who are due August first. Heading the advance detachment is Adjutant General Carlos E. Black, Col. Richard J. Shand, assistant adjutant and other officers from the state adjutant's office at Springfield.

When the guardsmen arrive they will find thirteen new administration buildings and supply structures which were constructed at a cost of \$35,000, as well as various other improvements.

Thursday, August 13, has been set as the day for the visit of Governor L. L. Emmerson who will review the guard and witness troop demonstrations.

The artillery division of the guard will drill this year at Sparta, Wis., during the some two weeks the other classes are at Camp Grant. It had been planned to have the artillery drill on its own range in Illinois this year through purchase of farm land near Rockford but this proposal, as contained in a measure which appropriated \$600,000 for the purpose, was rejected by Emmerson in the interests of economy and because of objections by Rockford merchants.

In addition to his visit here Emmerson also plans to go to Sparta to review the artillerymen. It probably will be on August 14. The Illinois Guard according to General Black, now has a strength of 9,600 men. During the two weeks the men will be called out of bed at 5:15 A. M. have breakfast at 6 A. M. and drill all morning from 7 o'clock to 11. In the afternoon the men will engage in athletic contests while the officers participate in schools of instruction.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Truth" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 26.

The Golden Text was, "Thus saith the Lord; I am returned unto Zion, and will dwell in the midst of Jerusalem; and Jerusalem shall be called a city of truth, and the mountain of the Lord of hosts the holy mountain" (Zech. 8:3).

Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the following from the Bible: "Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth. I have no greater joy than to hear that my children walk in truth" (III John 1:2, 4).

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Prayer cannot change the unalterable Truth, nor can prayer alone give us an understanding of Truth; but prayer, coupled with a fervent habitual desire to know and do the will of God, will bring us into all Truth" (p. 11).

Rules for Prone Pressure Method of Resuscitation

Chicago. —(Special)— The heavy July and August toll of drowning would be considerably lessened if the knowledge of prone pressure resuscitation were universal, says the National Safety Council. Each year scores of persons are saved from death but hundreds more lose their lives because no one close at hand is familiar with proper resuscitation methods.

Here is the approved method of procedure. Practice it. The knowledge may come in handy.

1. Lay patient on his stomach, one arm extended directly overhead, the other bent at elbow, with face turned outward and resting on hand so that nose and mouth are free for breathing.

2. Kneel straddling the patient's thighs with your knees placed at such a distance from the hip bones as will allow you to assume a comfortable working position over the patient. Place the palms of the hands on the small of the back with fingers resting on the ribs. The little finger just touching the lowest rib, with thumbs and fingers in natural position, and the tips of the fingers just out of sight.

3. With arms held straight swing forward slowly so that the weight of your body is gradually brought to bear upon the patient. The shoulder should be directly over the heel of the hand at the end of the forward swing. Do not bend elbows. This operation should take about two seconds.

4. Now swing backward so as to completely remove the pressure. Then repeat the operation, regularly timing it to about twelve to fifteen times a minute.

5. Continue without interruption until natural breathing is restored. Patients have been brought back to consciousness after four hours work.

6. An assistant should loosen all clothing around the patient's neck, chest and arms as soon as resuscitation starts.

7. Keep the patient warm. Do not give any liquids whatever until patient is conscious.

8. To avoid heart strain patient should be kept lying down after recovering. If the doctor hasn't arrived upon recovery patient should be given some stimulant, such as a teaspoon of aromatic spirits of ammonia in small glass of water, or a drink of hot tea or coffee.

9. The work should be done immediately at nearest possible point to where patient receives injuries. He should not be removed until breathing is normal and he is fully recovered.

The treatment is to be used in gas or electrocution cases as well as drowning.

Try it now—and teach others. You may find that it pays to know how.

New York Commish Through With Gob

New York, July 25.—(UP)—The New York State Athletic Commission apparently is through backing Jack Sharkey as the world's heavyweight boxing champion.

That much was indicated yesterday by William Muldoon, spokesman for the committee, in a conversation with Jack Kearns, manager of Mickey Walker, who held Sharkey to a draw in their battle for the "American heavyweight championship" at Brooklyn Wednesday night.

Muldoon questioned Kearns regarding prospects of a Walker-Schmeling bout for the title and intimated the commission would approve such a contest and accord titular recognition to the victor. Previously the commission has refused to recognize Max as anything except the "German champion" and had barred him from fighting anyone in New York state except Sharkey.

It was brought out at the commission meeting yesterday that a low blow by Sharkey, similar to the one which cost him his match with Max Schmeling, cost the Boston battler the decision in his fight with Walker. Judge Charles F. Mathison in a written report said he would have given Sharkey the eighth round except for the low blow. According to New York Commission rulings, a fighter striking a low blow, no matter how great his advantage, should lose the round in which the blow was struck.

Mathison said had he given Sharkey the eighth—he would have awarded Sharkey the decision.

Former Legislator Loses His Appeal

Chicago, July 25.—(UP)—Former State Representative Lawrence C. O'Brien, convicted of income tax evasion and sentenced to serve 18 months in prison and a pay a fine of \$7,000, today was denied a rehearing by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

The court previously had denied O'Brien's appeal from the verdict of guilty returned against him some time ago before Federal Judge Charles E. Woodward. O'Brien was charged with failure to pay income taxes approximating \$80,000.

New Method Of Use Of Poison Gas Found

Washington, July 25.—(AP)—The development of the use of deadly poisonous gases by airplanes in time of war is the object of secret experiments being made by the Army at Edgewood Arsenal, Maryland.

The tests have been made by the Army Air Corps and the Chemical Warfare Service and are understood to have been so successful that military authorities believe a method of new warfare has been found that will prove most effective.

EL PASOAN MAY BE EXECUTED IN CHIHUAHUA CITY

Friends Charge He Is A Victim of Race Prejudice

El Paso, Texas. —(UP)— Claiming he is the victim of race prejudice, friends of William J. Meers, 28, of El Paso, are putting forth every effort to save him from the death sentence at Chihuahua City, Mex., for the murder of a Juarez waiter.

A report to high government officials of the United States states that his death sentence, pronounced almost simultaneously with acquittal of an Oklahoma deputy sheriff for the slaying of two Mexican youths—one a cousin of President Ortiz Rubio of Mexico—indicates that the judge of the Chihuahua criminal

court was influenced by the Admore killings.

First Death Penalty

Officials at Juarez, across the border in Mexico, said they could not remember when the death sentence has been meted out for murder in Chihuahua. Judge Francisco Davila Navarro pronounced the death sentence late in June a few hours before an Oklahoma jury returned a verdict of acquittal of a deputy sheriff in the slaying of two Mexican youths. The death sentence was pronounced despite the suggestion of a district attorney that a sentence of 20 years' imprisonment be given.

Congressman R. E. Thomason, of El Paso has enlisted the aid of the State Department to gain clemency for the youth. Attorneys have appealed the sentence to the Chihuahua state supreme court. Many telegrams have come to Gov. Andres Ortiz of Chihuahua from United States residents beseeching that the death sentence be commuted.

May Face Firing Squad
On the other hand, telegrams and letters are being directed to Governor Ortiz by Mexican labor and

student organizations asking that he take no part in commuting the sentence, but allow the American youth to face a firing squad.

Meers was convicted of killing Antonio Visconti, a Juarez waiter, in the belief he was Manuel Vilareal, noted border character, who allegedly killed Meers' father during an attempted holdup of a payroll in El Paso in 1924. Vilareal was captured in Mexico but the Mexican authorities refused to surrender him for a trial. Young Meers swore he would avenge the death of his father personally.

GEORGIA NEGRO COUPLE

BOASTS FOUR SETS OF TWINS
Jones, Ga. —(UP)— Four sets of twins, in addition to nine other children, have blessed the wedded life of Ben and Julia Roberts, negro farmers, near here.

Ben is 48 and Julia 40. The oldest twins were born 18 years ago and the youngest four months ago.

The remaining nine Roberts children were between the four twin sets.

APPLE ORCHARD PRAYER AIDED CARRIE NATION

The First Dry Crusader's Manager Reveals How Drive Began

Montgomery, Mo., July 27.—(UP)

—A fervent prayer in an apple orchard and the fact that liquor caused her to lose her own home led Carrie Nation into her fight against alcoholic beverages and the licensed saloon, her former manager, Harry C. Turner, has revealed.

A dogged determination—her will was personified by her own initials "C. A. N."—carried the woman through her big struggle, a struggle that started agitation for passage of the Eighteenth Amendment and the Volstead Act, Turner said. He

now is a newspaper man working here.

Her Story

Turner recalled the following story regarding the crusader:

"I lost all the hopes of my young life through drink," Turner quoted the famous woman as saying. "I felt desperate and took it to the Lord in prayer on June 5, 1899, at my home at Medicine Lodge, Kan. I went behind my home and prayed in the apple orchard."

"The next day, I heard a voice: 'Go to Kiowa. Go to Kiowa, take something in your hands and smash every place that is selling liquor.'"

Turner revealed that, contrary to popular belief, Carrie Nation did not use a hatchet in her first anti-saloon raids. Rather, she said, she used bricks and rocks, wrapped in paper to resemble packages.

Wrecked Three Saloons

"I broke three dives in my first day," Turner said Mrs. Nation revealed when telling in later years of her experiences. "I broke the windows on the outside, smashed all the bottles I could find and then threw bricks through the mirrors."

"By this time, a big crowd had

gathered. I took advantage of the spectators to tell them of the work I was determined to do—do away with the remaining saloons in Kansas and spread the gospel of temperance throughout the nation."

Mrs. Nation sometimes grew discouraged, especially when faced with persecution, Turner said, but she always exhibited a bull-dog determination and carried on for her cause until her death 20 years ago.

FIVE CIVIL WAR VETS

LEFT IN OLDEST POST

Berlin, Wis. — (UP) — Only five white haired old men remain to carry on business of the John H. Williams post of the G. A. R. here, the oldest unit of that organization in the world.

These five men point with pride to the fact that their charter, issued on Sept. 8, 1865, antedates all others. They still display the enthusiasm which the membership of 283 Civil War veterans exhibited 50 years ago.

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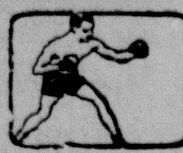
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TODAY in SPORTS



CARDINALS AND ATHLETICS ARE FAR OUT AHEAD

There's Little Danger Of Either Of Them Being Caught This Year

BY DIXON STEWART
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

New York, July 27.—(UP)—While other contenders are faltering under the strain of chasing rivals who refuse to be caught, the Philadelphia Athletics and St. Louis Cardinals are continuing a steady march toward the 1931 major league championships.

Neither club has clinched honors but with the season nearing the two-thirds mark, the Athletics enjoy an 11-game lead in the American League and the Cardinals top the National League by 8 games and there appears to be little prospect of either team being headed.

The two clubs played the best ball in their respective leagues during the week beginning Monday, July 20 and ending Sunday, July 26, with Philadelphia losing only one of eight starts and the Cardinals winning five of their six games.

Washington, Philadelphia's chief rival in the American League, showed signs of cracking under the strain of chasing the Athletics and won only two of its six games. The slump endangered the Senators hold second place with the New York Yankees, who batted in 68 runs to win six of their eight games, advancing to within 2 1-2 games of the runner-up berth.

The St. Louis Browns were the only other American League team to finish the week on the winning side of the ledger with three victories and two defeats.

In the National League the lowly Pittsburgh Pirates tied St. Louis' mark of five victories and one defeat and the Chicago Cubs won five out of seven to advance from fourth to second place.

Robins, Giants Slump
The New York Giants and Brooklyn Robins, after keeping pace with St. Louis for the past six weeks, experienced bad slumps. New York broke even in six games with St. Louis and Cincinnati, while Brooklyn won only three of its ten games with Chicago, Pittsburgh and Cincinnati and fell from second to fourth place.

New York had the best offensive record in the American League with 68 runs in eight games while Pittsburgh topped the National League with 45 runs in six contests, while the Philadelphia Phillies established the unenviable record of scoring only four runs in four games to close the week with no victories and four defeats. American League clubs batted in a total of 335 runs in 31 games while National League pitchers allowed only 206 runs in 26 games while National League pitchers allowed only 206 runs in 26 games.

Babe Ruth increased his batting record by .005 points and continued to lead the American League at .362 while Charley Grimm, Cubs first baseman, passed Chuck Klein and Virgil Davis of the Phillies to take the National League lead. Lou Gehrig of the Yankees gathered two home runs and continued to lead both leagues in home runs, with Babe Ruth in second place with 26 home runs and Chuck Klein topping the National League with 23.

Dazzy Vance of Brooklyn turned in the best pitching performance in defeat Cincinnati, 5 to 0 Sunday, in one of the week's five shutouts, all of which were scored in the National League. Vance allowed only 3 hits. Two other pitchers turned in 3 hit games, Lefty Clarke of Brooklyn holding Chicago to 3 hits but losing his game, 1 to 0, and Roy Mahaffey of the Athletics allowing only 3 hits in a 2 to 1 six inning victory over Cleveland.

Records of the major league clubs, with games won and lost, runs scored and runs scored by opposing clubs follow:

American League				
Team	W.	L.	R.	Op. R.
Philadelphia	7	1	47	36
New York	6	2	68	41
St. Louis	3	2	25	25
Chicago	4	5	47	73
Boston	4	5	40	49
Washington	3	6	46	54
Cleveland	2	4	27	27
National League				
St. Louis	5	1	35	15
Pittsburgh	5	1	45	26
Chicago	5	2	23	17
New York	3	3	27	22
Cincinnati	3	4	18	27
Boston	2	4	19	24
Brooklyn	3	7	35	53
Philadelphia	0	4	4	22

Decatur Driver Is Winner In Sterling

William Marshall of Decatur won the seventh annual corn, belt 100 mile auto race at Speed Bowl park at Sterling Sunday. His time was one hour and 53 minutes. Paul Elliott of Cropsey was second, C. Eldrenkamp of Rock Falls third, and Bob Shandbrook of Rockford fourth.

Each gold coin of the U. S. mint is composed of 900 parts of gold and 100 parts of copper. The copper alloy gives the gold a hardness.

Eight states—Connecticut, Delaware, Maine, New Jersey, New York, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Oregon—have passed laws prohibiting "hitch hiking."

Some Hot Tips on Keeping Cool!



Yes, folks, we're all crazy with the heat these blistering days, so here are some hot tips on keeping cool.

Upper right is a city version of the "Ol' Swimming hole" as kiddies playing in a teeny Chicago gutter took showers at a fire hydrant.

"Bure, I'm hot and bothered," said little Mary Ann Stevens, with a shade of annoyance, as she posed for the picture at the right center at an exclusive Southampton, L. I., beach. "But who cares, when they have a big sandpile?"

Kitty Sandstrum, upper left, is riding right through the heat wave and into the cool waters at Venice, Calif., on the back of a baby seal.

If you really can't endure the temperature any more, just think of those good old days 100 degrees ago, when Omaha, Neb., co-eds were frolicking in the snow as shown at the left center.

Lillian Bond, the movie actress, makes a pretty hot picture, we'd say, wearing her Turkish costume on the beach near Hollywood, as shown below, but these transparent trousers are plenty cool, thank goodness!

How They Stand

AMERICAN LEAGUE				
Philadelphia	W.	L.	Pct.	
Philadelphia	70	26	.729	
Washington	58	36	.617	
New York	54	37	.593	
Cleveland	45	49	.479	
St. Louis	42	49	.462	
Boston	35	57	.380	
Chicago	34	58	.370	
Detroit	35	61	.365	

Yesterday's Results
Chicago 5-5; New York 4-22.
St. Louis 5; Washington 2.
Boston 7-3; Detroit 6-7.
Cleveland 13; Philadelphia 2.

Today's Game
Chicago at New York.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at Washington.
Detroit at Boston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE				
St. Louis	W.	L.	Pct.	
St. Louis	61	35	.635	
Chicago	51	41	.554	
New York	49	40	.551	
Brooklyn	52	45	.536	
Boston	45	46	.495	
Pittsburgh	41	48	.461	
Philadelphia	37	56	.398	
Cincinnati	35	60	.368	

Yesterday's Results
Chicago 2; Philadelphia 1.
Cincinnati 4-0; Brooklyn 0-5.
Boston 3-4; St. Louis 2-5.
Only games scheduled.

Today's Game
Philadelphia at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
New York at Pittsburgh.
Boston at St. Louis.

Baseball Gossip

By HUGH S. FULLERTON, JR.,
Associated Press Sports Writer.

The phrase "he threw the game away" is heard often enough in baseball but it took Big Jim Elliott of the Phillies to show a few thousand Chicago fans the fullest meaning of the words.

Elliott, ace of the Phillie mound staff, came into yesterday's game with the Cubs in the ninth inning. The score was tied at 1-1 after a brilliant duel between Pat Malone and Clise Dudley but Charley Grimm had just threatened to break up the battle by hitting a triple. "Jumbo Jim" faced only one batter and promptly cut loose with a wild pitch that allowed Teachout, running for Grimm, to scamper home with a run that brought Chicago a 2 to 1 victory.

The triumph put the Cubs into second place in the National League

Averill's 20th home run featured the 19-hit attack.

The Athletics' lead, however, remained at eleven games as the St. Louis Browns, led by Goose Goslin, downed Washington by a 5 to 2 score. Goslin's bat figured in every St. Louis run.

Although held to five hits by Henry Johnson, the Chicago White Sox hit effectively to beat the New York Yankees 5 to 4 in the first game of a double bill. The Yanks, however, got their ire up after their first defeat by Chicago this season and ran up a 22 to 5 score in four innings of the second game before coasting to the finish.

Boston and Detroit likewise divided a pair of games. The Red Sox took the first in a tight ten inning battle, 7 to 6, but the Tigers, led by Charley Gehringer, hammered out a 7 to 3 victory in the second. Gehringer made five straight hits to show the way to the Detroit victory.

YESTERDAY'S STARS
By The Associated Press

Al Spohrer, Braves—His single in 11th drove in run that beat Cards in first game of double header.

Paul Derringer, Cardinals—Hung up 12th victory at Braves' expense in second game.

Larry Benton, Reds—Blanked Robins with 10 hits in first game of double header.

Dazzy Vance, Robins—Held Reds to three hits and beat them, 5-0 in second game.

Goose Goslin, Browns—Clouted double and home run against Senators, driving in three runs and scoring one.

Charley Gehringer, Tigers—Hit three doubles and pair of singles in second game of double header with Red Sox.

John Burnett, Indians—Led attack on Athletics with double and four singles.

Charley Ruffing, Yankees—Held White Sox to eight hits, got four himself as Yanks won second game, 22-5.

Charlie Grimm, Cubs—His ninth inning triple paved way for 2-1 victory over Phillies.

JOLLEY WANTS TO PITCH

New York, July 27.—(AP)—Outfielder Smead Jolley, who has played in only three games for the Chicago White Sox, due to a fractured ankle, is anxious to help out as a pitcher.

In exercising since the fracture healed, Jolley has been pitching for batting practice, sometimes to the distress of the batsmen. Yesterday he asked Manager Donie Bush if he couldn't do a little pitching.

Bush, after watching the Yankees slam Caraway and Wehrle for 17 hits, told Jolley the possibility wasn't so remote and to keep on preparing himself for hurling duty.

Jolley started in baseball as a pitcher and went to the San Francisco Seals as a chucker. His batting ability, however, caused him to be moved to the outfield, and he went to the Sox in that capacity.

MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

By United Press
Following averages compiled by the United Press include games played Sunday, July 26th:

Leading Hitters				
Player & Club	G	AB	R	H
Kath, Yankees	84	306	86	117
Simmons, Ath.	97	394	81	148
Morgan, Inds.	81	282	51	104
Webb, Red Sox	90	348	67	124
Goslin, Browns	88	348	68	124
Home Runs:				
Gehring, Yankees	30			
Ruth, Yankees	26			
Klein, Phillies	23			
Averill, Indians	21			
Fox, Athletics	19			

SPORT SLANTS

By ALAN GOULD

Generally speaking a college degree or its equivalent has proved more of a handicap than an asset in the ring.

At one time or another the collegiate influence has threatened to make inroads in the fistcuffing business, only to fade out abruptly against the logic of a number of well-directed wallop to the chin.

Perhaps in spite of his education at Penn State, Steve Hamas, has come along fast enough to catch the eyes of the metropolitan critics as a first class heavyweight prospect.

Obviously the build-up process is

BRUSHING UP SPORTS

By Laufer



PRISON SYSTEMS ARE CONDEMNED BY COMMISSION

Wickersham Investigators Submit Report To The President

By JOHN F. CHESTER
Washington, July 27.—(AP)—The Wickersham Law Enforcement Commission today condemned the nation's prison system as antiquated, inefficient, failing to reform the criminal or protect society, and as usual brutal disciplinary measures without justification.

Submitting its seventh report to President Hoover, dealing with "Penal Institutions, Probation and Parole," the commission advocates the creation of a new system in which iron bars would play but a small part and education would be upmost.

Much of the report was a denunciation of prison conditions, characterized as "almost incredible," in which men were imprisoned in overcrowded cells without sufficient light or fresh air or benefit of modern plumbing.

It lashed out also at the system of prison discipline described as "traditional, antiquated, unintelligent and not infrequently cruel and inhuman." Asserting these methods "contribute to the increase of crime by hardening the prisoner," the commission urged they be changed by law.

Means of Punishment
Among the punishments revealed, many of them visited prisoners for slight offenses, were the shackling of men to doors for 12 hours a day, whipping, placing them in straight jackets, lashing them down under streams of cold water, confining them in cages so small that movement was impossible, and keeping them in complete darkness for days at a time on a ration of four ounces of bread every 24 hours.

After asserting flatly that the American prison had failed as a "business enterprise," and as an educational institution, since men were released no better than when committed, the commission added:

"The prison has failed as a disciplinary institution. The riots, the fire, the use of cruel and brutal measures of punishment, the persistent recurrence of murder within the prison, the presence of narcotics, the frequent atmosphere of hatred and bitterness, are sufficient evidence.

Breeds Discontent
"It is clear at present that the more punishment in prison the more discontent, the more discontent the more irritation, the more irritation the more plotting, the more plotting the more violation of rules and the greater need for more severe punishment. The whole procedure is in the nature of a vicious circle for which there seems to be no remedy."

Outlining what it considered the ideal, the commission asserted segregation of the diseased, insane, drug addicted and hardened criminal was one of the first requisites. It held fortress-like prisons of the Auburn type were unnecessary save for the worst types.

"The millions of dollars now employed to construct elaborate maximum-security prisons," it said, "could with much better advantage be used in the development and proper financing of adequate systems of probation and parole."

Under the proposed system all prisoners would be paid wages, their treatment would be more humanized, the choosing of prison officials would be removed from politics, and guards would be trained specifically for their task.

Would Extend Parole
It was advocated that "no man should be sent to a penal institution until it is definitely determined that he is not a fit subject for probation." Extension of the parole system also was urged as the "best means yet devised for releasing prisoners from confinement."

Nevertheless, the commission asserted the present system of parole, in most sections, was little more than a "huge joke." It scored the loose supervision of paroles, which in 18 states was carried on by correspondence, making it "easy to beat the game."

Some of the institutions specifically criticized were the state prison in Oregon, the Charleston prison in Massachusetts, the Auburn and Clinton prisons in New York, the Folsom prison in California, and the old prison at Joliet, Ill.

Mentioning riots at prisons, the commission said in general that if the prisoners were unnecessarily irritated "then no amount of discipline or cruelty will save the institution from internal violence, riot, fire and murder."

Appended to the commission's report was a lengthy study by an advisory committee of 24 experts. It concurred with the commission that the present prison system was failing in its purpose of reforming criminals. Among its recommendations was one that prison industry be expanded, to which was added that such industry must of necessity come into competition with that of free labor.

A third report, prepared by Hastings H. Hart, chairman of the committee, condemned the present system of police jails and village lock-ups as overrun by filth and germs, as often constituting fire traps, in which prisoners have been cremated, and as the setting for "third degree" methods often accompanied by illegal treatment and torture.

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Royal Romance Broken by Tragedy



Falling or leaping from a 1000-foot high parapet on Paris' famous Eiffel Tower, 20-year-old Princess Anna Troubetzkoy plunged to her death before the eyes of other visitors to the tower. Here she is shown with her husband, Prince Serge Gregory Troubetzkoy, whom she married in New York last May and to whom she was to have been rewed by a Russian orthodox ceremony in France.

COCHET ALMOST SINGLE HANDED WINS FOR FRANCE

Veteran, Handicapped By Lame Shoulder, Wins Davis Cup Match

By WALLACE CARROLL
United Press Staff Correspondent

Paris, July 27.—(UP)—Henri Cochet, one time ball-boy of Lyons today held an unquestioned right to the amateur tennis throne formerly occupied by "Big Bill" Tilden of the United States and it was apparent that France need have no worries about retaining the Davis Cup as long as the unmatchable Cochet retains his cunning, skill and power.

Cochet, who helped win the Davis Cup from the United States in 1927 and has played an important part in maintaining France at the top of the international tennis heap since that time, scored his greatest personal triumph yesterday in giving France a three match to two victory over Great Britain in the 1931 challenge round.

The 1931 victory was made possible solely by Cochet, who won both of his singles matches and teamed with Jacques Brugnon in the doubles to score France's third victory. Jean Borotra, the "Bourgeois Basque" who has slipped badly in the past 12 months, lost both of his singles matches and but for Cochet, Britain's youthful team would have realized its ambition of gaining the prized international trophy which was last won by Great Britain in 1912.

Victory Decisive
Cochet's victory over Frederick J. Perry decided the series, and resulted in a crowd of 14,000 wildly enthusiastic spectators who sat through a drenching rain to watch the final singles matches.

H. W. (Bunny) Austin's 7-5, 6-3, 7-5 victory over Borotra in the opening singles match of the day tied the series at two-all and put the burden squarely on Cochet's shoulders.

Cochet, handicapped by a shoulder ailment which curtailed his practice for challenge round competition, had no easy time winning but he rose to his greatest heights and pounded out a victory, 6-4, 1-6, 9-7, 6-3.

Perry made a great fight and kept the match close until the fourth set when Cochet abandoned his usual base line tactics and rushed the net. Coming to the short-court, Cochet rolled volley after volley off his racket and ran the Englishman to all corners of the court. He handled everything Perry sent his way with amazing ease and quickly ran out the set.

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PRIESTS IN VERA CRUZ CAN DECIDE THEIR ATTITUDE

Must Determine If They Will Remain In State Or Leave Churches

Mexico City July 27.—(AP)—The Catholic priests in the state of Vera Cruz were free today to decide for themselves whether to leave their churches or to continue their religious offices in defiance of Governor Adalberto Tejeda and of the recently enacted state religious law.

Papal Nuncio Ruiz Y Flores announced he had ordered Bishop Rafael Guizar Y Valencia of Vera Cruz to inform the priests of his diocese that they might determine for themselves whether to stay in their churches or quit the state.

Meanwhile reports reached here from Jalapa, Capitol of the state, of a riot late yesterday in which several persons were said to have been injured, and of a reputed attempt on the life of the Vice General, Pedro Castillo Y Landu.

It was said all churches there and in the city of Vera Cruz were now closed. Four Jalapa churches were damaged by fire Saturday as a result of mob violence.

The disturbances have accompanied Governor Tejeda's attempt to enforce a state law which limits to thirteen the number of priests allowed to exercise their religious functions in the state, which has a population of about 1,300,000.

One priest is dead as a result of the disturbances, and two are injured. Governor Tejeda was shot through the ear Saturday by a young man now under arrest who has refused to give the authorities his name. The youth was wounded by the Governor's guard, but reports from Jalapa said he would live.

Troops were placed at danger points in the state.

Father Dario Acosta, who was shot to death in a raid in the Assumption church in the city of Vera Cruz Saturday, was buried there yesterday without disorders. A Vera Cruz dispatch to the newspaper *Ex* said Father Rafael Rosas, injured in the raid in which Father Acosta was killed, fled the city last night, fearing his life was in danger.

An inventory of the church property was started preparatory to turning it over to the federal government. The national constitution stipulates that all church buildings are the property of the nation and the priests are caretakers.

Brief Summary of Last Night's News
BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS DOMESTIC:

Washington—Navy will plumb Caribbean for earthquake source. White River, Arizona—Indians' taciturnity balks quiz into Columbia code's death.

Pittsburgh—Fire toll mounts despite efforts of physicians. Cheyenne, Wyo.—Two weeks' siege of forest fires conquered.

FOREIGN:
Moscow—Shaw predicts world conversion to Soviet doctrines. Berlin—Stimson and Sacket luncheon guests of Dr. Curtius. Jalapa, Vera Cruz—City quiet after raid in which two priests died.

Hongkong—Canton insurgents band for war on Nanking leaders.

ILLINOIS:
Sterling—William Marshall, Decatur, won the seventh annual corn belt auto classic at 100 miles in the time of 1 hour, 53 minutes. Paul Elliott, Cropsey, was second.

Waterman—George Sawyer, 75, and his wife, Almira, 65, of Shabbona, Ill., were killed in a grade crossing accident and their daughter, Edith, 45, was seriously injured.

Decatur—Eighty-six persons were arrested in a series of raids on alleged speakeasies by eighteen squads of officers under Federal and city officials. In two hours 53 places were raided.

Crippled Bird Is Lure To Golfers
Chicago—At this time of the year a golfer who walks into the rough to locate a golf ball that has strayed from the fairway, may be startled by seeing a pair of crippled "snipe" flopping around on the ground. Don't take these poor cripples too seriously, advises the Izaak Walton League in a recent bulletin, because they are quite apt to be killers and their inability to fly is a fraud.

In recent years these interesting birds have been increasing on golf courses which have one or more water hazards.

The sharp cries of the birds and their antics in displaying "broken" wings are merely invitations to play lude and go seek, because they have a nest or young nearby and they are doing their best to lure the golfer away from the family. Fluttering around with make-believe broken wings usually succeeds in doing this.

It's a good trick and the kind birded golfer is supposed to play the game and make believe that he wants to catch the crippled killdeer. As soon as he is drawn far enough away from the nest or chicks the adult killdeer will fly away, their wings miraculously "cured."

CLIPPED COLIE KILLED
SALT LAKE CITY, Utah.—(UP)—"Shep," a congenial colie, lay beneath the sod today because his clipped locks and bushy tail transpired him into something faintly resembling a mountain lion.

Vern Earls, a special policeman, reported he had shot at a "lion," but that the vicious beast had immediately "loped" away. After sweating through miles of brush searching for the "lion" the officers finally came onto the body of poor old "Shep," dead from the bullet fired by Earls.

Nurses when you need Record Sheets you will find them at the B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

The Schipperke poodle dog is the only breed of canines which is naturally born tailless.

Movie Actress' Fractured Back Is Mending



A new-found friend, "Vertebrae," is shown above sharing with Evelyn Knapp, film star, the good news of her promised recovery. When the actress fell from a cliff near Hollywood several weeks ago and received severe spinal and facial injuries it was feared that her career, if not her life, was in danger. Doctors now say that she will suffer no permanent disability.

HORTON SMITH'S JINX IS BEATEN: WINS TOURNAMENT

"Joplin Ghost" In Record Golf To Win St. Paul Open Yesterday

By PAUL MICKELSON
(Associated Press Sports Writer)

St. Paul, Minn., July 27.—(UP)—Horton Smith's long, weary golfing depression is over.

After almost a year and a half of futile campaigning, the erstwhile "Joplin Ghost" finally overtook his notorious jinx yesterday by winning the \$10,000 St. Paul open championship on the tide of a record, par-shattering score of 278 strokes for the 72 hole jaunt over the Keller Club layout.

The brilliant score, which he carded with rounds of 69-69-67-73, gave him the first prize of \$2,500 by three shots over the defending champion red runner-up, "Lighthorse Harry" Cooper of Chicago.

There wasn't a happier fellow today than Smith. As soon as he pocketed his big money prize, he grinned broadly and remarked: "Well, I guess I finally routed my jinx. I doubt if any one ever felt like I did during this depression."

It was Smith's first golfing conquest since the Orlando, Fla., open in the winter of 1930. When he captured that one, he was the "Wonder Boy" of professional golf, having galloped away with 13 championships during his winter campaign to jump from the ranks of the "also rans" golfers to the biggest money winner of American golf. But the jinx caught him there.

His 67, five shots under par, on his third round yesterday pulled him out of his tie for second place. When he posted it he hurdled into a six stroke lead and was never threatened.

A record breaking 31 on the first nine holes was the impetus for his victory. He carded five straight birdies and breezed over the backward nine with an easy par 36. His total clipped par for the 72 hole journey by 10 shots, the best performance yet turned in with the balloon ball.

Cooper's consistent, par-burrowing rounds of 71-70-70-70 for a 281, with rounds of 72-72-70-70, and George Von Elm of Los Angeles, with cards of 69-69-74-72, tied for third place and collected \$1,250 each with their 284 totals, while Ed Dudley, Wilmington, Del., professional had to be content with fifth place and \$800.

During the interval between races several mounted policemen displayed their horsemanship by turning the track into a bridge path. This made for bigger and better divots and it's a wonder that one of the runners didn't stumble over a hole and break her neck.

The meet was robbed of much of its dignity when the officials decided to hold some sort of a county championship at the same time.

Two Comers To Be Seen In Week Card
New York, July 27.—(AP)—Fistic followers in the New York district will get another glimpse this week of Charley Retzlaff of Duluth and Steve Hanes of Passaic, N. J., both potential heavyweight champions in the eyes of some earnest students of the game.

They appear on the Queensboro Stadium card tomorrow night, Retzlaff opposing Mateo and Vidal, hard-hitting Spaniard, in the ten round feature, and Hanes battling Frank Morris, veteran Army fighter, in an eight-rounder.

Retzlaff has compiled an impressive record in the last year and has made so good a showing in one of the preliminaries to the Max Schmeling-Young Stribling heavyweight championship match that "Der Maxie" pointed him out as a possible challenger for the title in the none-too-distant future.

Schmeling possibly never saw Hanes in action but some experts now think the New Jersey lad is an even more promising prospect than Retzlaff.

He recently knocked out Ted Sanvina, Sioux City, Ia., veteran at the Queensboro the same night that Retzlaff stopped Ralph Fucello in two rounds.

Detroit offers a featherweight bout on Thursday between Earl Mastro of Chicago and Vidal Gregorio of Spain. Al Singer, ex-king of the lightweights and Cannonball Eddie Martin, former batmanweight ruler, clash Friday night at the big Coney Island Stadium here. Jack (Kid) Berg, English lightweight will meet Phil Griffin of Newark at Newark tonight.

Sports Parade

By HENRY McLEMORE

New York, July 27.—(UP)—Joe Cook, who can do everything but imitate four Hawaiians, has nothing on Mildred ("Babe") Didrickson, an 18-year-old Amazon from Dallas, Texas.

In fact, after watching little Babe's amazing performance in the National Women's track and field championships on Saturday and talking with her, we are inclined to believe the Texas girl could not only imitate four Hawaiians, but five, as well. And maybe six.

Babe, who hadn't even so much as seen a track meet two years ago, competed in three events (all the law allows) and the best she could do was to break world's records in two of them and thoroughly outdistanced her field in the other. She still was puffing from running the 80-meter hurdles in the amazing time of 12 flat when we decided to ask her a few questions. Between puffs we learned that:

She was thoroughly disappointed with her time of 12 seconds; she thought it was "pretty slow." She never saw a hurdle until two months ago when she ran against a field of men and won in a walk. Saturday marked her third appearance in a hurdle race.

She likes all sports and is good at all of them. That goes for polo, ping-pong, baseball, boxing, swimming, squash rackets and what have you. Is particularly good at basketball, being forward of the team that holds the national championship.

Well boxer. Mixed it up with W. L. Stribling's brother Herbert, a fair welterweight, and "smacked him a sweet one on the nose." She trains the year around by moving from one sport to another.

Has manifested scorn for boys. Thinks they are "afraid" of her. Stands five feet six and one-half inches and weighs 128 in her birthday clothes. Knows she is not pretty but considers herself graceful. She's right on both points. Is of Norwegian parentage and works in a Dallas insurance office as an expert rater.

The 1931 meet, by the way, was miserably handled. This was probably due to the fact that Pershing Field in Jersey City is a sprawling, unattractive park and fit for nothing more important than a grammar school meet. The officials apparently had little or no provisions to handle the crowds, with the result that spectators wandered over the track and infield at will. It was this haphazard state of affairs that led to one of the spectators being hit and badly injured by a discus thrown by Stella Walsh, the Cleveland sprint star.

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Week-End Sports
By Associated Press

GOLF
St. Paul.—Horton Smith finishes with 69-73 for 278 to win \$10,000 St. Paul open; Harry Cooper trails by three strokes; Hagen and Von Elm tie for third with 284.

TRICK
Berlin.—Ladomuegue beats Peltzer in 1,000 meters in 2:25 3-10 with Dave Cobb third; Karl Warner of Yale wins 400 meters.

Jersey City.—Mildred Didrickson wins three titles and breaks two world's records in Women's National Championships.

RACING:
Chicago.—Sun Beau wins Arlington Cup and breaks track record for mile and a quarter.

New York.—Vander Pool beats Aryb by a nose in Greenfield purse of a mile and 70 yards for 15th straight victory.

BOWLING:
Philadelphia.—Bob Miller retains national single sculling championship.

HEALO!
If your feet trouble you then use Healo, the best foot powder on the

UNION OFFICIAL KILLS MAN SENT TO MURDER HIM

Situation In The Eastern Strike Zone Tense: Lewis Is Hooted

Pittsburgh, July 27.—(AP)—The miners' strike, paralyzing the bituminous coal industry in western Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Ohio, grew tense today, with the slaying by a union official of a man who had threatened his life and the wounding of a woman at a strike rally.

Accosted by a man who said he was sent to kill him, Patrick T. Fagan, president of District No. 5, United Mine Workers of America, grappled with his assailant, wrested a pistol from him and shot him to death.

The shooting occurred on the front lawn of the Fagan residence here. A man who was with Fagan's assailant, was captured by police a short time later, when he threatened a taxi driver.

The unidentified body of the slain man was removed to the morgue. His companion refused to talk, except to say that his name is Edward Snyder, that he is a miner, his home being in Fleming Ky.

Fagan was arrested. Detectives quoted the union leader as saying he had just finished a lunch with his family shortly after midnight when his front doorbell rang.

He was accosted by a man, who pointed a pistol at him and cried: "I am from District 19 Kentucky and I have been sent here to get you."

Fagan, long affiliated with the United Mine Workers of America, has been a prominent figure both in strike and in recent friction between his organization and the National Miners' Union.

Mrs. Martha Stanley, attending a West Virginia miners' meeting near the Imperial Colliery Company's plant at Burnsville, W. Va., was wounded by a bullet fired from the fringe of the crowd.

Dock Pack, assistant mine foreman, arrested a short time later, told police he was assisting a man who was being beaten, that he fired three shots and that Mrs. Stanley was wounded accidentally.

United Mine Workers leaders here refused to comment on the demonstration against John L. Lewis, International President, at West Frankfort, Ill., yesterday.

Lewis Was Hooted
West Frankfort, Ill., July 27 (AP)—John L. Lewis, International President of the United Mine Workers of America, who was hooted and jeered yesterday when he attempted to address a miners' meeting, continued his efforts today to end the several weeks' strike at the two big Orient mines here.

Lewis appealed to the miners to be loyal to the "parent organization," the regular faction of the Mine Workers Union, and to return to work in the Orient mines under existing conditions until the differences between employers and miners could be smoothed out.

When he referred to the recent "rank and file" conventions held recently at Belleville and Zelger, Ill., miners opposing Lewis' organization began to boo and hiss.

For an hour the labor leader stood his ground on the platform, rapping the gavel for order.

At one time a miner rushed down the main aisle, grabbed the gavel from Lewis' hand, and pounded for order in an effort to address the big meeting. Lewis retrieved the gavel forcibly and resumed his attempt to speak.

In the end, he yielded to other speakers. Frankfort county has long been a storm center in Illinois union affairs, and the "rank and file" union in opposition to the "regular" United Mine Workers of America was nurtured here.

WALTON, HARMON WIN
Walton defeated Sublette yesterday afternoon at Sublette by a score of 3 to 2 in a pitching battle between Gugerty, who twirled for Walton and Koehler of the losing team.

Harmon with their effective battery won a 22 to 6 decision over Lee Center.

MRS. McCORMICK WILL NOT SEEK CONGRESS SEAT

Sets At Rest Report Of Candidacy In 1932 Campaign

Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick announced Sunday that she will not be a candidate for Congress in the April, 1932 primaries.

The former congressman-at-large from Illinois made her declaration at a meeting of editors and publishers of newspapers located in the nine counties comprising the new fifteenth congressional district, held at her Rock River farms, north of Byron.

Plans for organization of a fifteenth congressional district editorial association were laid at the meeting, which was attended by thirty editors and publishers, many of them accompanied by their wives and other members of their families.

Not a Candidate
"I will not be a candidate for congress in the fifteenth congressional district this time," Mrs. McCormick announced, in opening an informal business session of the editors and publishers, following a luncheon served to seventy-five guests in one of the cottages on the McCormick estate overlooking Rock river and the Black Hawk trail.

"As for the future, I can't take you into my confidence, because I haven't yet decided what I am going to do," Mrs. McCormick continued.

She declared that the new fifteenth congressional district is the greatest in the middle west, not only in point of size, but because of its many varied interests.

Form Association
At Mrs. McCormick's suggestion steps were taken to organize editors and publishers in the district into an association which will meet every three months to discuss editorial, political, and economic problems and to attempt to bind the district's newspapers into a unit on important questions of policy.

A motion was passed authorizing Mrs. McCormick, as temporary chairman, to appoint an organization committee of five members which will lay definite plans for the association, nominate officers, and call the editors and publishers together again when organization plans have been completed.

The committee, members of which will be named later, will also canvass editors and publishers of the district to determine whether the new organization is to be Republican or non-partisan. Opinions on both sides of the question were expressed in an open discussion.

As the guests arrived for the outing, they were shown points of interest around the farms and among the wooded hills on which the McCormick home stands.

Immediately after the luncheon and business meeting, Mrs. McCormick's children, Katrina, Ruth and Medill, Jr., entertained the guests with an exhibition of their equestrian skill, putting their thoroughbreds over jumps in the riding ring near their home.

CHATTANOOGA BANS GIRL SMOKERS AS TEACHERS
Chattanooga, Tenn.—(UP)—Girls who smoke need not expect to get a job teaching in the public schools here.

W. T. Robinson, superintendent of schools, said "the average parent would not want his or her child under a smoking teacher. So we don't employ girls who smoke, if we know it."

Every applicant for a teaching position must tell Supt. Robinson that she doesn't smoke if she gets the job. Sometimes he even examines their fingers for cigaret stain. This system isn't so successful, though, he explained because it "is too easy to remove the stain with lemon juice."

The superintendent said he did not require his male teachers to abstain from smoking, "but I have talked them about it."

John Cabell Breckenridge of Kentucky, who became vice president of the U. S. in 1857 at the age of 36, was the youngest man ever elected to the position.

A survey shows that 14,000,000 of the 16,000,000 inhabitants of Mexico are either full-blooded Indians or of part Indian blood.

Hay Fever Leaves After 20 Years

Recovery Due To Discovery of Real Cause of the Disease.

Indianapolis.—Hay Fever sufferers will be greatly interested in this letter written by Rev. J. W. Bell, Winchester, Va.

"I passed through the

Looks Easy, But Isn't

HORIZONTAL

1 Governor of Pennsylvania.
7 "Green Mountain State."
14 Visual.
16 Person who has on ornaments.
18 Tolls.
19 Swerve.
20 Kindred.
22 To sin.
23 Sick.
24 Joined.
26 Affirmative.
28 German tribal district.
30 Spectrum arc in the sky.
33 Gazelle.
35 Measures of cloth.
37 Farewell!
38 Lily.
39 Bill of fare.
40 Ocean vessel.
41 5,280 feet.
42 One in cards.

SATURDAY'S ANSWER

17 Southeast.
18 Doctor.
21 Frog crab.
23 Strong wind.
25 African Datch.
26 Pronoun.
27 Spiral of wire.
28 Jewels.
29 Bone of the forearm.
31 Imbeciles.
32 Insect of the order Coleoptera.
33 Sand.
34 Toward sea.
36 Cone suvar.
38 To spread thickly.
43 Supped.
45 Hood.
46 Infant.
48 Saucy.
50 Fish.
51 Mass of float- ing ice.
52 Auto.
53 Matter.
55 Point.
56 Conclusion.

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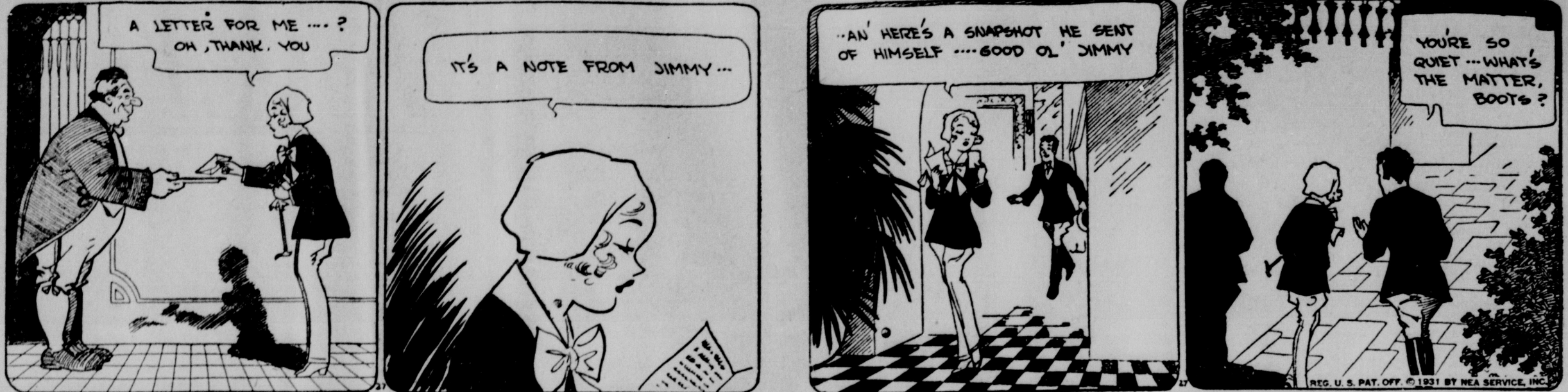
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2 Frozen water.
3 Void.
4 To maintain.
5 Mad as a —?
6 Gold quartz.
8 Sheep.
9 General survey of a lesson.
10 Sends a letter.
11 Verbal.
12 Fishing bag.
13 Elm.

44 Grain.
45 Suitable.
47 Tense.
49 Broad-topped hill.
52 Long cloaks.
54 Letter.
57 One who reviles.
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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

Hmmm!

By Martin



MOM'N POP

A Real Surprise!

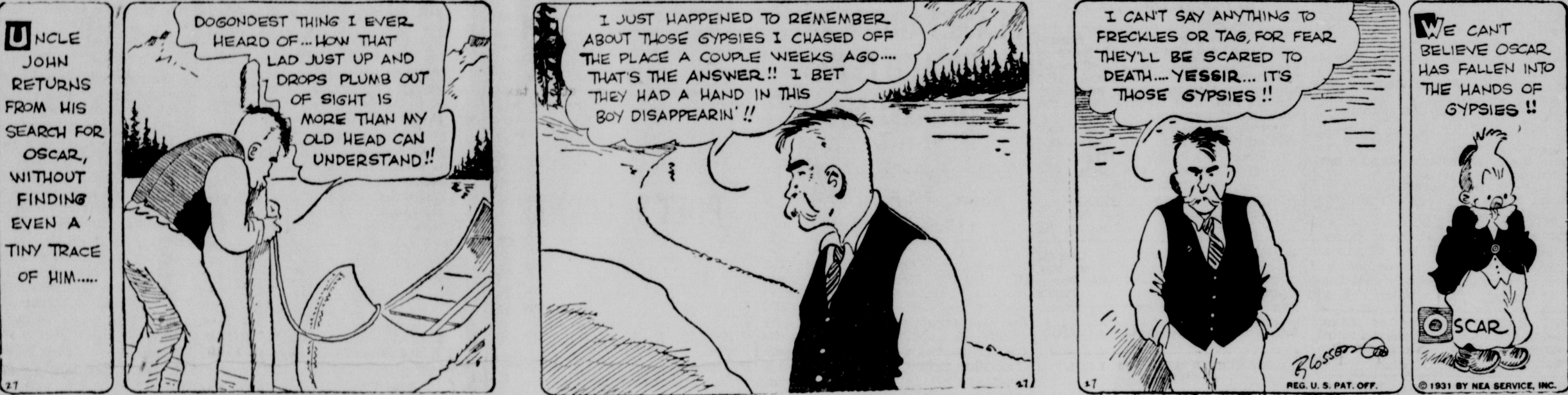
By Cowan



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Gypsies?

By Blosser



SIDE GLANCES

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WANTED—Canning and old fashioned split weaving. E. E. Fuller, 221 E. Chamberlain. Phone Y433. 2881

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The Nationally advertised Household Loan Plans offers cash loans of \$50 to \$300 to husbands and wives at reasonable rates. Loans above \$100 and up to \$300 are made at a rate almost one-third lower than the usual small loan rate. Husband and wife only need sign. No endorsers. Come in, Phone or Write.

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Main 137. Freeport, Ill. 17413

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LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

MASTER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss. In the Circuit Court of said County. F. X. Newcomer, Trustee and Theresa Tibbits,

Albert H. Burr, Marguerite Burr Benson, Merton Ransom, Marjorie Vail Ransom, James B. Kenton, Walter A. Burr, Catherine S. Burr, Percy O. Heckman, Louisa Reitter, Arthur Klein, Charles Heckman, and the unknown owner or owners of the notes secured by the Trust Deed recorded in the office of the Recorder of Lee County, Illinois in Book "65" of Mortgages, on Page 608.

In Chancery. Foreclosure. Gen. No. 5065

Public notice is hereby given that J. James W. Watts, Master-in-Chancery in and for Lee County, by virtue of an order and decree of said Circuit Court made and entered in the above entitled cause on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1930, having caused said decree to be executed and delivered to the complainants a certificate bearing date, the 21st day of March, A. D. 1930, and filed the duplicate of said certificate in the Recorder's office of said County, and no redemption having been made from said certificate and said decree not having been satisfied, will on

THURSDAY, AUGUST 6th, A. D. 1931, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the North door of the Court House in said City of Dixon, in the County of Lee, State of Illinois, sell at public vendue for cash in hand to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy the amount due under said certificate, the sum of \$4667.58, together with interest thereon from the date of said certificate, and the costs and expenses of sale, all and singular, the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lot Number Five (5) in Block "Nineteen" in Eighteen (18), in the Town of North Dixon, (now a part of the City of Dixon), in Lee County, Illinois.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 26th day of June, A. D. 1931.

JAMES W. WATTS,
Master-in-Chancery of the Circuit Court in and for Lee County, Illinois.

H. C. Warner, Solicitor for Complainant.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
Estate of John J. Gallagher, Decedent. The undersigned, having been appointed Executor of the estate of John J. Gallagher, deceased hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon, at the September term, on the first Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this 13th day of July, A. D. 1931.

MARGARET WILSON,
Executrix.
John J. Armstrong, Attorney.
July 13, 20, 27

A person's pulse rate over a period of time may vary 10 to 15 beats a minute without causing particular reason for considering him abnormal.

All Dolled Up for Warm Weather



They're beating the heat wave. And these coolly attired children, caught by the camera as they played in a London suburb, appear to be pitying the poor doll who has to wear all those clothes despite the warm weather.

PLANETARIUM IN CHICAGO IS NEW TOURIST MAGNET

First Fourteen Months Show Popularity Of Demonstration

Chicago—(UP)—Under the gray dome of Chicago's new Adler Planetarium the movements of the heavenly bodies may be seen daily. The first American planetarium has proved so popular that during its first 14 months nearly a million persons have visited it and witnessed a demonstration. The number of visitors for the first year—731,000—was 231,000 in excess of the number which the directors estimated would call during that time.

The planetarium and institutions of its kind are held responsible for the changing trend of interest evinced by visitors to Chicago. The once popular trip to the stockyards, slums or to some spot to which a violent crime had given the name of "death corner," is waning in its appeal to the stranger. Civic leaders declare that the planetarium is becoming definitely associated with Chicago and outsiders are not so apt to think of Chicago in terms of a gigantic meat packing town, or a city famed for its crime.

Virtually all distinguished visitors to Chicago have wanted to see the planetarium. Director Philip Fox stated. And it is not alone the stranger who is attracted. Chicagoans, too, flock to the thousands to hear the lectures and to see the planetary movements depicted.

Many scientists from all parts of the country have made use of the planetarium in their researches. Prof. H. I. Schlesinger, of the University of Chicago, said he hoped the university would be able to use the planetarium and similar institutions as substitute laboratories for work in physical science under the new plan of education to be inaugurated by the university.

So many persons visit the planetarium on Sunday that it is regularly necessary to give an additional lecture to accommodate them.

MOTORIST \$33.09 IN 1930
Washington, D. C., (UP)—Each motorist in the United States paid an average tax of \$33.09 incident to the operating expenses of his machine. It was announced here by the American Motorists' Association.

The average gasoline tax was \$19.68 and the other miscellaneous taxes, such as registrations, tags, permits, etc., averaged \$13.41, according to the statistics gathered by the association.

The motorists of Oregon were the heaviest taxpayers with an average

assessment of \$64, the motorists' association announced, and Florida and Georgia followed, with \$53 and \$52 respectively. The residents of the District of Columbia were the least burdened by operating taxes, paying \$14, and Massachusetts, with \$20, and Utah, with \$25, followed the nation's capital in light assessments.

POET'S CORNER

A LAMENT

Sing, little robin, sing,
Sing in the shady grove;
Thou hast thine own dear home,
Thou hast thy mate to love.
While I sit alone,
While I sadly weep,
My beloved one
Sleeps the last long sleep.

Toil, little robin, toil,
Toil for thy nestlings dear;
Ever unwearied toil,
Bringing to them good cheer.
No darling cherub head
Rest upon my arm,
No tender babe is mine
To shield from want and harm.

Sleep, little robin, sleep,
When the day is gone,
Calmly rest in peace.
All thy duties done,
While upon my couch
I must toss till morn,
Worn with weary we,
Lonely and forlorn.

Oh! 'tis hard to live
Evermore alone;
Longing still to go
Where my love is gone.
Near that lonely mound,
To wildly weep and pray,
While above the grave
Sing, little robin, sing,
Tear my heart in twain?
Soon will come the day
When no more 'twill pain.

Mrs. Charles Florabelle Troop,
Grand Detour, Ill.

London—(UP)—The interlocking agreement between Imperial Airways, Deutsche Lufthansa, the German air company, and S. A. B. E. N. A., the Belgian company, will be carried on.

The three air companies have acquired new premises opposite the Royal Waiting Room and entrance to the Continental departure platform at Victoria station. The new air terminus will be jointly operated passenger and freight booking agencies will be a united project.

The present office at Airways House will be retained as the West End branch.

Working agreement between the British, Belgian and German companies makes it possible for a passenger to reach almost any city on the Continent by air.

During the last seven years airliners of the Imperial Airways have flown 7,285,587 miles and carried 1,760,567 passengers between London and the Continent, and on the Empire Air Routes, according to the latest statistics. In the same period over 637 tons of freight have been carried. How the air mail traffic has increased is shown by the fact that in 1919 only 15 tons of mail were carried against 115 tons in the past twelve months.

The big triple-engine Armstrong Siddeley air-liners, used in the Silver Wing service between London and Paris have now covered 2,000,000 miles without any mishap.

—Try the B. F. Shaw Co.'s dollar stationery.

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LOST—Alligator bag containing pair trousers, bathing suit, shoes and other wearing apparel. Reward if left at this office. 17313

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SQUARE DEAL MATTRESS SALE.
Buy here and save money. Cotton, \$3.95 to \$6; felt, \$7.50 to \$12.50; spring-filled, \$9.50 to \$50. We stock all types of mattresses at wholesale prices. Furniture, stoves, rugs. Gallagher's, 609 W. Third St. Open night, 7 to 9. 158126

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DEAD ANIMAL DISPOSAL CO.
July 17-31

Heart of Liane

by MABEL McELLIOTT
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BEGIN HERE TODAY

LIANE BARRETT is fascinated by VAN ROBARD, man of the world, who has made casual love to her. When his engagement is announced to MURIEL LADD, debutante, Liane tries to forget him. Her mother, CASS, an actress, is on tour with a traveling company when she is taken ill. Liane leaves Mrs. CLESPAUGH's home on Long Island to nurse her back to health.

Cass frets against accepting the hospitality of the rich Mrs. CLESPAUGH and during her convalescence Liane accepts the proposal of CLIVE, her father's son. It is to be a marriage of convenience. In Cass' delirium, she has babbed of some mystery concerning the girl's birth.

TRESSA LORD, house guest at the CLESPAUGHS, dislikes Liane and tries to come between her and CLIVE. Liane is threatened with blackmail. STANLEY McDERMID, police officer who once befriended Liane, frightens the blackmailers off. At a ball given for the PRINCE OF SLAVARIA, Liane disappears, the victim of kidnappers. CLIVE, McDERMID and CHUCK DESMOND, reporter and friend of Muriel Ladd's, start a search. She is taken to a lonely house on the shore and during a struggle with one of her captors, falls and hurts her head. The men leave her in charge of a woman called MOLLY. Meantime CLIVE and a police officer pick up the trail. CLIVE finds Liane's pearls, stained with blood, where she has dropped them, stealing out of the sinister house.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER XXIX

STRONG arms carried Liane. They seemed curiously gentle arms. The man bore her as lightly as though she were a bit of this-tledown.

"Whoever he is, he's better than those I left," thought the girl drowsily. She was not fully conscious even yet. She remembered escaping from that horrible house and she remembered a voice calling "Whoa, there!" A man's voice. Then she had stumbled and unconsciousness had overtaken her.

The man moved swiftly. Liane kept her eyes shut very tightly. She feared if she opened them the safety that now surrounded her might vanish and she might discover herself back in that grim prison with the fat woman guarding her.

Then she heard shouts, voices. The man swore once, softly and efficiently. Liane felt a dazzle of light on her eyelids and opened them with a start. The headlights of a car shone full on her face. She felt herself lowered gently. Warm robes were bundled round her.

"You!" she cried astonished to Shane McDermid who bent over her.

"The kid himself," McDermid said. His smile was grim. A little group of men closed in around them. The police lieutenant was giving orders in a sharp, fierce voice.

"This car belong to them?" he asked. A tall man in a great coat said, "I think so. We've got both birds trapped in the garage. They expected to make a getaway but found they had a flat and were tinkering with it when we got here. The old woman won't talk. They want to kill her for falling asleep on them." The man

laughed.

Liane inquired feebly, "Where am I? Why—that's CLIVE's car! I know the headlights. They're special. He must be around somewhere."

"So?" Shane McDermid's voice was quizzical. "Boys, go back to the house and take a look around. Something may have broken since you left the rear."

But there was no need for this. A white-faced CLIVE broke through the brush.

"Liane!" he cried. "You're safe. Thank God!"

"I don't know what it's all about," she said between laughter and tears, "but if you knew how good you look to me—at this minute!"

SHE put one hand to her forehead. CLIVE thought he had never seen her look so utterly adorable. Like a child who has been ill and who rejoices in the promise of an outing.

He fell on his knees beside her. "I've been frantic—" His voice broke.

Liane was moved. "I'm so sorry," she said. "It's been dreadful for you. What does it all mean?"

"The girl back at the house has told us," CLIVE explained. "It was a blackmailing scheme. Her sweetheart was one of the men who kidnapped you. She was terribly jealous. The woman at the house slipped out and called her up when the man was alone in the room with you. She came to see what was going on. We met her and McDermid suspected she was mixed up in it somehow."

Liane looked up at Shane. "How on earth did you happen to know about it?" she marvelled.

He glanced obliquely at CLIVE. "I'd been warned there was funny business going on," he said.

CLIVE asked "What?" sharply.

Shane evaded him. "Whenever one of these 'millionaire baby' engagements is plastered in all the papers," he said, "we get lots of trouble. Lists of presents and so forth stir the mobs up."

"Oh, I forgot to give them to you," CLIVE said, diverted. He held out his hand and the girl saw that he had the pearls.

"Well now, you'd better be getting along home, hadn't you?" Shane put in. "And a lucky girl you are, too." Liane smiled at his bluster. She saw beneath that and knew he had been watching, guarding her, ever since she had first told him about the threat at the night club.

"Thanks for everything," she said when she had been lifted into the seat and bundled in fur robes. Officer McDermid was busy bossing the men marshaled Mary Powleski and the two men into a police car. Officer McDermid was busy bossing the men.

"Nothing at all. Just my job," Shane blustered. He was watching with the tail of his eye as the men marshaled Mary Powleski and the two men into a police car. Officer McDermid was busy bossing the men.

"He's muddled that," Shane said absently. "Comes from having too many women in these rackets!"

Liane's eyes were dancing.

"You don't hold with women?" The big man stared at her, squaring that formidable Irish jaw of his. "They're all right. In their place."

CLIVE's foot found the starter. He was racing the engine now. He leaned out, said to Shane above the roar, "Can't thank you, McDermid! If you hadn't been on the job—" He choked on the words.

"I want to come to see you tomorrow," he added.

"Any time. You'll want to prefer charges, maybe. But we have these fellows on other counts, anyhow. Dope peddlers, they are." The lieutenant waved to them. Liane could hear him blustering, as they drove away.

"Well, well, that's a good night's work."

CLIVE drove as if the demons were after him.

"You didn't let mother know about all this?" Liane exclaimed above the wind and the motor.

CLIVE shook his head. The girl glanced at the dashboard clock. "Only three!" she marvelled. It seemed impossible that two short hours before she had been dancing at the Hunt Club, fresh and carefree in a rose pink gown. So much had happened since. She reached for the vanity mirror in the car's pocket and gazed at herself in horror. A bedraggled bandage decorated her brow. It was stained with blood.

CLIVE turned to her, asking, "Head ache?"

"A little."

"We'll stop in the village and rout out Doctor McNeil. I want to be sure no infection sets in."

The old doctor, roused from his slumbers, dressed and rebanded the wound. It was a brief cut, far up under the hairline. "No scar will mar your looks," the old man assured her gravely.

As he worked Liane could hear CLIVE's voice, speaking over the telephone in reassuring accents.

"Quite all right. Really, she is. We'll be home in 15 minutes."

"That was mother," he said, returning. "She was on her ear but I soothed her down. Thought you must surely be dead."

The old doctor looked at them with shrewd, bright eyes.

"Bit of an accident, that was," he told them. "Didn't know you were one of these one-arm drivers, Mr. CLESPAUGH."

"I'm not," CLIVE laughed shortly. He said, "Some thugs tried to carry off Miss Barrett here. You may read of it in the papers although I hope we can manage to keep it out."

"Ah!" The physician shook his head. "There're a lot of rogues about these days ready to do harm to anyone."

AT home, they found all lights burning and a worried little group assembled. Fortunately Cass had not been told exactly what had happened. She was still sufficiently an invalid to have facts served up

to her in diluted form and she had retired early, unaware of the turmoil around her.

Mrs. CLESPAUGH, still in her ball gown, met them in the hall. Liane had not supposed the self-contained old lady was capable of such emotion.

"My dear, my dear!" she kept saying, mopping at her eyes with a cobwebby handkerchief. "It's a miracle we have you safe and sound!"

The servants clustered around, big-eyed and exclaiming. CLIVE demanded peremptorily that Liane should be packed off to bed at once and all the female contingent hastened to obey, with offers of hot water bags, spirits of ammonia, and what not.

"She's had a severe shock, the poor child," Mrs. CLESPAUGH said, when she and CLIVE were alone in the study 20 minutes later. "I've asked Nora to sleep on the couch in her room on the chance she might wake and be frightened. What a dreadful experience!"

CLIVE was pacing up and down like a caged animal.

"And all the time I was thrashed about doing nothing—" he burst out after a minute. "I lost my head. Didn't know what to do or where to turn. If it hadn't been for that fellow McDermid!"

His mother shuddered.

"Don't think of what might have happened," she cried. "It's too frightful. They've got the men, you say?"

"They have," CLIVE told her grimly. "They'll be punished to the limit of the law."

They sat silent for a few minutes. Then the old woman spoke again. Her voice held a new quality. "The marriage must take place soon," she said firmly. "It's dangerous letting things go along this way. Why knows what might happen to the poor child with all these cranks about? That is what they must be. I feel sure of it!"

FEW CONDEMNED MURDERERS EVER ABANDON HOPES

They Look For Mercy To Very Last: Brighter Side Of Picture

By SIDNEY B. WHIPPLE (United Press Staff Correspondent) Ossining, N. Y., July 27.—(UP)—Not one of the 26 death house prisoners at Sing Sing—rather, 24, for two were executed Thursday night—believes he will go to the chair.

Somewhere between the cell and the instrument which will bot them out, some night, in 1-720th of one second, they believe there will come a staying hand. A higher court may intervene to give them a new trial. A reprieve may be allowed, to present new evidence. Finally, the governor may find mitigation, somewhere in their records, or in their youth, or in the muddled brain that was the cause of their downfall, and so grant them commutation.

It is this eternal hope, hope that is allowed to linger with them until the night they are to go, that keeps them, to outward appearances, the most contented of Sing Sing's citizens.

To gain a comparative picture of the present population and that of the past, the records show that until the end of 1929 the average age of the 282 prisoners put to death by the state at Sing Sing was 29 years, 4 months and 11 days. Now it has dropped to 27. Exclusive of the man who killed his wife and one "elderly" holdup man, today's average is 26, and a majority of the men are below that age.

Again referring to the statistics, you find a monotonous recurrence not only in the type of crime, but in the weapons used. Out of 282 convicted murderers in New York State, 108 performed the deed with revolvers, and 43 used knives, poison, razors, and—grimly significant—"two sash-weaves."

Of this number, 114 were married, 28 were widowed, and one was divorced, single men numbered 133, a little less than half the total, only one was separated from his wife.

Brighter Picture

But there is a brighter picture outside the death house, where even the little metal clasps that bind magazines are removed from their reading matter lest they cheat the law.

Here, in the main prison fully half of the inhabitants are accepting the opportunity to repair the lamentable lack of education with which they entered prison.

More than 800 of them attended the prison school, getting the rudimentary elements of an education—reading, writing, arithmetic—during 224 school days last year. And 52 determined characters, fired with ambition, applied for and obtained permission to take advanced correspondence school courses.

The average prisoner cares little about fiction, and least of all about blood-and-thunder novels, mystery stories, or detective tales, according to Parsons. Instead, he asks for books on engineering, shop practice, technical work, and information that will help him to learn a trade. For many of them, this "stretch" provides the first opportunity they have ever had to do anything but provide themselves a hazardous, insecure poor living through crime. Given clothing, and a few hours a day in regularity of work, their food and which time hangs heavy, and their natural recourse is to books.

In general, with the prison sadly overcrowded, with a lack of laundry facilities and sanitation equipment, and with the state providing food for 2,200—and a population of nearly 2,600—Sing Sing officials are worried.

"If crime continues to increase and judges continue to sentence in proportion to the crime," they say, "a 'crisis' may be a riot, though the word is seldom mentioned in official circles."

"You Killed Him!" "No, You Did!"



Each accusing the other, Earl Smith, shown above in his cell, and Mrs. William Homann, inset, face prosecution at Effingham, Ill., on charges of murdering the woman's husband, who disappeared from his farm there several months ago. Recently, Smith, a neighbor of the Homanns, was arrested on a minor complaint, and believing that the woman had accused him of murder, charged her with the killing. He led officers to a shallow grave, where the body was found. When arrested, Mrs. Homann said Smith, her reputed lover, killed her husband.

7:30—Silent Variety (30 min.)
W9XAO—200ke (WIBO—560ke)
6:30—Cartooning (30 min.)
7:30—Pantomime Hour

TUESDAY, JULY 28
—WEAF (NBC)—

6:00—Sanderson and Crumit—WOC
6:30—Wallenstein Orch.—WOC
7:00—Parade of Progress—WOC
7:30—The Brush Man—WOC
8:00—B. A. Rolfe Orch.—WOC
9:00—Snoop and Peep—WOC
9:15—Stebbins Boys—WOC
9:30—Cab Calloway Orch.—WOC
10:00—Ruddy Vallee—WTAM
10:30—Continental—WENR

—WABC (CBS)—
5:30—Daddy and Rollo—WBEM
5:45—The Quarter Horse—WMAQ
6:30—The Bon-Bons—WMAQ
6:45—Gloof Chasers—WBEM
7:00—Minute Dramas—WBEM
7:30—Sidney Lowenstein Orch.—WMAQ

8:00—Ben Bernie Orch.—WBEM
8:15—Tito Guizar—WBEM
8:30—Savino Tone Pictures—WBEM
9:15—Pryor's Band—WMAQ
9:45—Orchestra—WDOD WREC

—WJZ (NBC)—
5:00—Amos 'n' Andy—WLW
5:15—Gus Van—WENR
5:30—Phil Cook—WENR
6:00—Quakers—WLS
6:30—Ponce Sisters—WLS
6:45—Sea Chanties—WLS
7:00—Dumont Orch.—WGN
7:30—Death Valley Days—WENR
8:00—Alumni Glee Club—WGN
8:30—Clara, Lu, and Em—WGN
8:45—"Radio's Greatest Lover"—WLW

9:00—Amos 'n' Andy—WMAQ
9:15—Topics in Brief—WENR
10:00—Paul Whitman Orch.—KYW

TELEVISION
W9XAP—2800ke (WMAQ—670ke)
4:45—Sound and Sight
5:00—Silent Variety
5:25—Sound and Sight (20m.)
6:30—Sound and Sight
6:45—Silent Variety (15m.)
W9XAO—2000ke (WIBO—560ke)
5:00—Audiovision (15m.)
6:30—Cartooning (30m.)

Prohibition Head To Vacation As Soldier

Washington, July 25.—(AP)—Prohibition Director Woodcock today temporarily laid aside his position as head of the largest federal force in history.

By nightfall he will be Lieutenant Colonel Amos W. W. Woodcock, Reserve Corps, leading an even larger force of men at Camp Albert Ritchie, Maryland.

Woodcock left the Capital yesterday ostensibly for a two-weeks vacation. It was learned, however, he would leave his Salisbury, Maryland, home today to take his rest in the arduous work of soldiering.

An officer's uniform will not be an accustomed to the Prohibition Director. He served along the Mexican border in 1916. Later he led a company in France, where he was cited for distinguished service in the front lines.

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